

UNDERTAKE GENERAL OFFENSIVE MOVE

Germans Start General Movement from Mouth of Yser to River Meuse

LOSE SOME POSITIONS

Neither Side Seems Gaining— Allies Give Some Ground—Ger- mans Lose Other Positions

ATTACKS SEVERE IN WEST

LONDON, Oct. 23.—The Germans have undertaken a general offensive movement along the line extending from the mouth of the river Yser on the North sea, to the river Meuse, while they have compelled the allies to give ground in some places, they themselves have lost positions in others. This, in a few words, is what is gathered from official reports coming this evening from the French and the German headquarters.

The German attack today was particularly severe in the west, where their right wing, strongly reinforced by fresh troops, attempted an advance against the Belgians, who are holding the allies' extreme left. This left rests on the coast and is supported by English and French warships and by Anglo-French troops, which form a front extending from a point somewhere in the vicinity of Dixmude southward to La Bassee canal. Both sides claim successes, but the French alone admit that in places they have been compelled to fall back.

Little or no change.

Generally, however, there is little or no change in the situation, the lines swinging and swaying as they have done for weeks.

Although it is now just two months since the allies concentrated on the Franco-Belgian frontier to oppose the German advance and the invaders have been almost to Paris and back in the interval, no decisive battle has been fought. Neither side has destroyed or even partly destroyed an army. Even the Belgian army escaped almost intact after their country was overrun by the Germans. The same can be said of operations in the east where the armies of Russia, Germany and Austria are fighting except in the case of Lieutenant General Samsonoff, the Russian commander whose army was partially destroyed by the Germans in the battle at Tannenberg, East Prussia.

Russians Drove Germans Back.

In the present battle on the river Vistula, from Warsaw south to the river Pilica, the Russians have scored an important victory in driving the Germans back and have captured many prisoners besides guns and ammunition. But the defeated army, when it gets back to its selected position, can entrench and start another siege battle such as that which occurred on the river Aisne in France.

Southward of the Pilica the Germans still hold the river Vistula except in front of the fortress at Ivangorod where they were driven back by attacks from that stronghold.

Attacking Russian Left Wing.

The Austrian army which is so often described as routed and destroyed in the battles of Galicia, has sprung into life again and is attacking the Russian left wing. The Austrians, however, apparently have found an impenetrable barrier at the river San north of Jaroslavl.

The German claim of victory over the Russian west of Augustow, Suwalki, following fighting reported by them yesterday in the direction of Ossowetz, south of Augustow, shows that the Germans are attempting another advance from East Prussia into the government of Grodno to the east of Suwalki, doubtless with the object of compelling the Russians to reinforce their army in that region.

All these movements have brought the belligerents no nearer their goals, which cannot be attained until an army is destroyed or one of the other of the contending forces becomes too exhausted to fight further.

The admiralty tonight issued a report in which it was stated that the German cruiser Karlsruhe has captured thirteen British steamers in the Atlantic.

Former President Taft

IS NOT TO BE MADE FUN OF

Enrolls as Voter of New Haven, Conn., and Answers Customary Questions at City Hall.

New Haven, Conn., Oct. 23.—William H. Taft, former president of the United States, was enrolled as a voter of this city late today. Mr. Taft arrived here in the afternoon from Washington and went direct to the city hall where quite a crowd had gathered. When Selectman James Fox asked him the customary question if he could read, some one in the room laughed, which caused Mr. Taft to turn around and say: "Gentlemen, I have not come here to be made fun of—I really can read."

OFFICIAL REPORTS

—FRANCE—

PARIS, Oct. 23.—The French official communication issued tonight says: "On our left wing the action continues with great violence, notably around Arras, La Bassee and Armentieres."

"The allies have lost some ground at some points around La Bassee but have won some at the east of Armentieres."

"Generally speaking on this part of the front the situation remains the same."

"To the north of the Aisne our artillery has destroyed three German batteries."

—RUSSIA—

PETROGRAD, Oct. 23.—The following official communication was issued tonight by the Russian general staff:

"The energetic offensive of our armies, which have crossed the Vistula on a large front, encounter no resistance on the part of the Germans, who continue to retreat."

"In the trenches below Ivangorod we took large quantities of war stores and ammunition abandoned by the reserve corps of the Prussian guard in its hasty retreat."

"The Austrian armies continue to fight with stubbornness on the Vistula, on the San and particularly to the south of Przemyśl."

"In East Prussia there is no change in the situation."

—ENGLAND—

LONDON, Oct. 23.—An official statement issued this evening says the government has prohibited the importation of sugar into the United Kingdom with the object of preventing Germany and Austria securing from neutrals.

Explaining the government's decision to prohibit the importation of sugar into the United Kingdom, the official news bureau says:

"Measures already have been taken to prevent the importation into Germany and Austria of goods necessary to the conduct of war, but when neutral countries have the opportunity of making great profits on the enhanced prices which Germany and Austria are willing to pay, it is impossible to put a stop to all importations."

"At the present time there are few exports of great value which can be sent out in exchange for goods which Germany receives from neutral countries. Of these sugar is the chief. Already exchanges are rising against Germany and Austria and if the exportation of sugar could be prevented or rendered unprofitable, a further serious blow would be struck to their trade."

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WAR BULLETINS

LONDON, Oct. 24, 3:45 a. m.—A despatch from Amsterdam to the Reuter Telegram Co. states the Norwegian steamer Heimland from Amsterdam to England has been sunk, presumably by a mine. The crew was saved.

LONDON, Oct. 24, 3:05 a. m.—The Milan correspondent of the Post has this to say of the situation in the Black Sea:

"Although there is little news from the Black Sea, where a week ago the Russian and Turco-German fleets were in dangerous proximity, it is evident that no battle has taken place."

LONDON, Oct. 24, 3:13 a. m.—The Milan correspondent of the Daily Mail sends the following:

"For the past few days Zeppelins have been practicing the firing of torpedoes from a great height, using as targets rafts floating in Lake Constance. It is reported the result has been so satisfactory the Germans are equipping their Zeppelins with tubes and torpedo apparatus which will be ready in a few months to cooperate with their navy."

LONDON, Oct. 24, 3:09 a. m.—Reuter's Bombay correspondent, telegraphing in connection with the raids on British commerce by the German cruiser Emden, says:

"It is significant that the Bombay government today issued a statement to the effect that all sea routes are considered reasonably safe as from nine o'clock the evening of October 21."

The Morning Post's Bombay correspondent in a despatch dated October 22, gives an unconfirmed report that the Emden has at last been accounted for.

WEATHER INDICATIONS AND TEMPERATURES.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 23.—Illinois: Local rains Saturday; Sunday probably fair.

Temperatures.			
The current, maximum and minimum temperatures recorded Friday were:			
Jacksonville	69	78	47
Boston	48	52	40
Buffalo	62	66	42
New York	52	56	48
New Orleans	74	78	68
Chicago	64	64	59
Detroit	60	72	54
Omaha	50	68	62
St. Paul	52	66	55
Helena	46	54	36
San Francisco	70	72	50
Winnipeg	44	52	43

BELGIANS RETURNING TO HOMES IN ANTWERP

Every Consideration Being Shown Belgians by Ger- mans—In Fear of Trap

COUNTRY IS DESOLATE

Country About City Looks Deso- late—Over 300 Buildings Destroyed by Bombs

SIXTY PERSONS WERE KILLED

Antwerp, Oct. 23.—via Roosendaal to London, Oct. 24.—1:20 a. m.—Antwerp gradually is returning to normal conditions. About 150,000 of its 350,000 inhabitants, most of whom fled the city when the Germans occupied it, have returned to their homes.

Some bakeries, meatshops and grocery stores are opening in the poorer section of the city and a few old women with dog carts are offering apples and vegetables in the once busy markets. The German flag flies from the tower of the Cathedral of Notre Dame, but Belgian priests are reading mass as usual.

Belgians, German soldiers and German officers, many of whom have their wives with them, are living quietly in the leading hotels, which are forced to keep open for the army. The streets virtually are deserted except for the gray German automobiles which dash along at mad speed, carrying officers clad in smoke gray uniforms.

Germans Demand Supplies.

No tribute has been levied on the city except that the Germans have demanded supplies for their army. General Von Huehne is governor-general of the military government. Major General von Bodenhausen, commander of the fortress of Antwerp, will be installed shortly as civil governor to take charge of the issuance of passports and other duties which have been performed by Henry Diederich, until recently American consul-general at Antwerp and the Belgian burgomaster, M. De Voss, acting in conjunction with German soldiers and many plain clothes German detectives.

General von Huehne has given assurance that the Belgians will not be forced to dig entrenchments or do other work for the Germans if they return to the Belgian cities. Every consideration is being shown the Belgians by the Germans but this kindness makes the Belgians suspicious as they believe, they say, that a trap is being laid.

All Trains Are Crowded.

Over 12,000 Belgians returned to Antwerp today, and probably half that number from Holland. The only trains running from Antwerp are to Roosendaal, Holland. Hourly service is being maintained both ways during daylight hours and all trains are crowded. All the Holland border towns are filled with frantic Belgians who move about anxiously seeking relatives and are afraid to return to their own country.

Virtually all the highways in the north of Belgium and in the south of Holland are filled with refugees, pedestrians and dog and horse carts loaded with furniture and clothing. Barns, farm houses, hay stacks and cars on side tracks furnish shelter for these traveling families. Holland is harvesting its sugar beet crop and some of the refugees are employed in this work.

Belgians Levelled Forests.

The country about Antwerp is desolate, as the Belgians levelled many forests to give the forts a better chance at the approaching enemy. It is estimated that about 300 buildings were destroyed in Antwerp by bombs, most of these structures being residences. The Hotel de Europe and the Tavern Royale on La Place Verte, were among 25 large buildings destroyed by fire caused by the bombs. La Mer and other leading business streets were untouched but all the large business houses are still closed despite the efforts of the Germans to restore normal condition.

All Factories Are Closed.

Hundreds of ships are lying in the canals and at the docks, efforts to open shipping being unavailing, as Holland controls the mouth of the Scheldt river. The factories all are closed and the American consulate is looking after the business interests of citizens of the Allied countries. The stars and stripes fly from the offices of the Red Star line, the American Petroleum Co., and other American concerns.

It is estimated that sixty persons were killed during the bombardment of Antwerp. Theophile Lemaire, Argentine consul at Antwerp, was the most prominent victim. He was killed in the cellar of his home by a bomb which came through the roof and floors and struck him. He caused the bombardment. It was necessary to bury his body on a spot where for three days it was guarded, later it was interred in a cemetery with the body of Captain Hammond and 49 English soldiers.

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CLOUDBURST CAUSES TEXAS RIVER FLOOD

SCORE DROWN WHEN SAN ANTONIO RIVER OVERFLOWS

Rainfall of Five Inches in Three Hours Causes Fifteen Foot Flood—Property Damage is Estimated at \$150,000.

San Antonio, Tex., Oct. 23.—A five inch rain in less than three hours early today caused a fifteen foot flood in the San Antonio river here and put the San Pedro and Alamo Creeks out of their banks from 100 to 1,000 feet. Thirteen drownings have been reported with indications that the record will reach 17 or more.

All the drownings occurred in the two creeks which run through the city. The property damage is estimated at \$150,000. The Olmos Creek, which empties into the river north of the city, was a mile out of its banks and reached its highest stage in 30 years.

The known dead are:

Mrs. Albert Liebe, her baby and three other children, caught in the collapse of their home.

Faustino Lopez, two years old.

Mrs. Marquez, 35.

Unidentified child, 4 years old.

Unidentified infant.

Four unidentified Mexicans.

War News Summarized

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KNOX STUDENTS IN HAIR RAISING BATTLE

Galesburg, Oct. 23.—A hair raising battle between the freshmen and Sophomore classes of Knox college occurred today and the few lower classmen who retain their scalp locks are in hiding. The second year men resented the victory of the freshmen and began rounding up their opponents and cutting their hair. About thirty freshmen had lost their hair before the class realized that the scrap was not over. Then both sides began clipping.

POLITICAL SPEAKER DIES.

Chicago, Oct. 23.—Former Alderman, George A. Mueker, once secretary of the state republican central committee, tonight dropped dead while addressing a political meeting. He was 58 years old.

GENERAL CARRANZA EXPLAINS POSITION

Willing to Retire as Chief Executive If Villa Has Nothing to Do With It

WOULD GRANT REQUEST

Carranza Would Grant Con- vention's Request that a Neutral Be Chosen for Presidency

CARRANZA TROOPS ADVANCE

WASHINGTON, Oct. 23.—General Carranza is willing to retire from the post of chief executive in Mexico City, provided General Villa is not instrumental in procuring his resignation. He also wishes to be assured that his retirement will not mean the ascendancy of General Villa. This explanation of Gen. Carranza's position made informally at Mexico City was received by the American government here today. General Carranza indicated his willingness to grant the convention request that both he and Gen. Villa give way to a neutral for the provisional presidency.

Troops Advance Northward.

In the meantime, however, official reports to the state department told of the advance northward of several thousand of Carranza troops. This was explained by Carranza representatives as intended not for purposes of attack but precautionary defense in case the convention came to no agreement and Villa moved his forces southward.

Kept Delegates in Suspense.

Carranza's attitude toward the convention has kept the delegates in suspense. Generals Obregon and Blanco went to the Mexican capital two days ago to persuade Carranza of the utility of opposing the wishes of the convention. General Felipe Angeles has gone to Cuernavaca to invite Gen. Zapata to send delegates. He is reported to have secured the promise of the southern chief to send 24 representatives. The convention is waiting the return of these missions before transacting important business.

Truce is Declared.

Naco, Ariz., Oct. 23.—A truce was declared late today between the Carranza garrison at Naco, Sonora and the Villa attackers.

Pending the final solution of the peace problem by the convention at Aguas Calientes, General Benjamin Hill and Governor Maytorena will suspend hostilities. The Maytorena troops are now retiring toward a point 35 kilometers southward.

Peace Commissioner Ramon Sosa from the convention obtained a cessation of hostilities after three days parleying with the two factions.

DEMOCRATIC CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE FILES REPORT

Spends \$12,108 in Congressional Campaigns.—\$8,874 Received for Campaigns.

Washington, Oct. 23.—The Democratic congressional campaign committee filed its report today showing it had received \$8,874 for the campaign and had disbursed \$12,108. It received more than \$6,000 from the Democratic national committee. Senator Johnson of Maine and Pomerene of Ohio and Representatives Underhill, New York; Graham, Illinois; Tuttle, New Jersey; and Gilmore, Massachusetts were the only Democratic representatives listed as contributors, each putting up \$100.

The committee printed ten million copies of the president's letter to Democratic Leader Underwood for the campaign and one million of the president's letter to Chairman Doremus of the committee in addition to hundreds of thousands of copies of various speeches of representatives in congress.

Scores of reports of representatives on their contributions for expenses of their campaign were filed. Former Speaker J. G. Cannon, of Illinois, a candidate for congress again, reported he had received no contributions and that his campaign expenses aggregated \$1,032. Many reported they received and spent nothing.

AMERICAN MARINES IN CONTROL OF CAPE HAITIEN

Cape Haytien, Hayti, Oct. 23.—Orestes Zamor, president of Haiti, defeated by the rebels, has withdrawn to Gonaives, according to the latest information reaching this city, whither General B. Samor, his minister of the interior, proceeded on leaving Cape Haitien several days ago.

This city is quiet. Marines from the American cruiser Tacoma patrol the streets and are in control of the local situation. The rebels are forming a new government under the presidency of General Davilmar, Theodore, who in July of this year was erroneously reported as having been killed in battle.

MAY DECIDE MRS. CARMAN'S FATE TODAY

FAMOUS MURDER CASE SHOULD BE IN HANDS OF JURY BEFORE NIGHT

Many Witnesses Give Testimony for Mrs. Carman—Accused Woman Submitted to Grilling Cross Examination—Dr. Carman "A Devil With the Girls."

(Mineola, N. Y., Oct. 23.—Mrs. Florence Conklin Carman, on trial in the supreme court here for the murder of Mrs. Louise Bailey, may know her fate by tomorrow night. Her counsel and District Attorney Lewis J. Smith informed Justice Charles H. Kelly at the close of the proceeding today, that they undoubtedly would have completed their cases before the noon recess tomorrow.

The entire afternoon thus will be left for the summing up, which probably will occupy three hours and the delivering of the charge to the jury. The charge is expected to be a brief one. The case, therefore, should be in the hands of the jury before nightfall.

This was the defense's day in court. Witness after witness went on the stand and gave testimony for Mrs. Carman. The defendant herself submitted to a grilling cross examination. Explaining her installation of a mechanical "eavesdropping" device in the office of her husband, Dr. Edwin Carman, she told how men friends of her husband had asked him in her presence how "all of his girls" were. Other men she said, solemnly had told her that the doctor was "a devil with the girls."

Was Suspicious of Husband.

She brought her story down through a long period during which she kept hearing things about her husband and his "girls." Then she admitted that she became suspicious of Dr. Carman. She had the "mechanical" "eavesdropper" installed in his office to determine whether there was any truth in the reports that had come to her.

She also admitted to the district attorney that if a woman patient came to her husband's office many times, she became suspicious of the woman and also of her husband.

Witness Frequently Confused.

Mrs. Carman frequently became confused and at times she hesitated and fenced with the prosecutor, but he asked the same questions again and again until she gave an answer that he let stand on the record.

When he interrogated her regarding her failure to write a note of condolence to the bereaved family of the woman killed in her husband's office or to call at the house to express her sympathy, Mrs. Carman appeared to be on the verge of a breakdown. She resorted many times to her silver flagrant bottle of smelling salts.

Whole Carman Family Testifies.

When it was all over she hurried to her seat at the counsel table and watched her little daughter Elizabeth, walk to the witness stand, then she listened intently while the child testified in her mother's defense. Meanwhile Mrs. Carman showed increasing signs of nervousness and when her aged, gray-haired mother took the stand and began her testimony, the woman on trial for her life burst into tears, her shoulders shaken by her sobs.

All of the members of Mrs. Carman's family testified in her behalf today. Their stories were corroborative and each witness flatly denied there was even the smallest article of truth in the story told by Cella Coleman, the servant who gave testimony on Thursday intended to connect Mrs. Carman directly with the murder of Mrs. Bailey.

W. B. McDUGAL ELECTED GOVERNOR OF CHICAGO DISTRICT

Bank Examiner for Chicago Clearing House Association is Chosen—Salary \$30,000 Per Year.

Chicago, Oct. 23.—W. B. McDougal, bank examiner for the Chicago Clearing House Association, was elected governor of the Chicago district federal reserve bank at a meeting of the directors here today. He has held his present position since 1906. Previously he was a national bank examiner and made the examination at the time of the failure of the John R. Walsh banks here.

The directors did not decide upon the governor's salary but it is understood it probably will be \$30,000 a year.

Members of the executive committee were elected as follows: W. F. McEllen, Columbia City, Ind.; Geo.

ELECTION OF STATE LIBRARY ASSOCIATION

Springfield, Ill., Oct. 23.—Mrs. M. E. Ahrens of Chicago, was elected president of the state library association. Others officers chosen were:

Vice president—Miss Ida Wright, Springfield.

Secretary—Miss Maude A. Parsons, Joliet.

Treasurer—Miss Mary J. Booth, Charleston.

Members of council—Miss Effie Landeen, Cairo and Harry Legler, of Chicago.

The directors did not select a location for the bank. Another meeting will be held early next week.

GERMAN FORCES REPORTED EVACUATING CITY OF ANTWERP AND MARCHING SOUTH

London, Oct. 24.—3:30 a. m.—A despatch from The Hague says a report received there from a source that the Germans are evacuating the Belgian city and the German garrison left Friday in response to the Daily Chronicle says:

"Practically all the German forces have evacuated Antwerp and marched south, apparently to take part in the conflict."

APPEAL IN VAIN TO PRES. WILSON

Cotton Belt Representa- tives and Senators Ask Situation Be Composed

CANNOT MEET COMMITTEE

The President, Busy With Im- portant Conference, Is Unable to Meet Southern Committee

MORE OBSTRUCTIVE TACTICS

FRIDAY IN CONGRESS.

Senate.

Met at noon, and after futile efforts to end the session, adjourned at 1:34 p. m. to noon tomorrow.

House.

Lack of a quorum and parliamentary tactics by supporters of legislation for relief of southern cotton planters blocked the adjournment program again.

Adjourned at 1:45 p. m. to noon tomorrow.

Washington, Oct. 23.—With congress tied up by lack of a quorum in both houses, cotton belt senators and representatives tonight made a vain appeal to President Wilson for aid to compose the situation, by securing cotton relief legislation and clearing the way for the long delayed final adjournment of the session.

After again blocking adjournment by obstructive tactics, the cotton relief supporters went into conference late in the day and decided to appoint a committee to wait upon the president. The president, however, when asked for an interview, stated he would be busy with an important state department conference until he left Washington at midnight and would therefore be unable to meet the committee.

Departure Ends Talk.

The subsequent departure of the president for Pittsburgh where he will address a Y. M. C. A. celebration tomorrow, brought to an end talk which developed during the day that extraordinary conditions, under which congress found itself unable to adjourn, might be met by the president proroguing congress.

All efforts of Democratic leaders to secure an agreement to adjourn failed and the southern members who remained to fight were determined to continue their obstructive tactics until legislation designed to aid the south could be passed.

Opinion was general that this would prolong the session indefinitely, certainly until after the elections, though administration leaders planned tomorrow to continue efforts for an adjournment or a recess until after election.

General Exodus Continues.

General exodus of members of both houses continued tonight. The house today had 157 members present on a roll call, nearly sixty short of a quorum and the senate showed 46 present, three less than a quorum. Senator Clarke of Arkansas, the present protopope of the senate and one of the champions of cotton legislation, gave up in despair. After characterizing further efforts of his colleagues to obtain relief as "grand stand play" and "a vaudeville performance" he left the city. Vice President Marshall having left Washington several days ago, it will be necessary for some member of the senate to preside tomorrow.

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In Waverly the other day a man who was arrested for carrying concealed weapons was fined \$100 and costs. That's a pretty strong fine but if every offender against the concealed weapon law was treated with equal vigor a great deal would be accomplished toward the breaking up of the iniquitous habit of carrying revolvers. The custom in Jacksonville is to assess a fine of \$5 and costs and this sum certainly does not carry as weighty a message as that meted out in Waverly.

And there is a great truth in his statement: "The most progressive laws for social justice consistent with civil liberty have been enacted by the Republican party. It will continue that course. It promises to workmen full justice both by new laws in legislation and justice in their application. It promises no impossible, revolutionary or lawless program to any of our countrymen, but it will create and give all an opportunity to earn a living by honest toil."

Want to Get In.

The Trenton idea is growing. Eleven farmers who had not yet joined the Commercial Club presented the following petition, which, needless to say, was adopted:

"To the Commercial Club of Trenton, Mo.:
"We, the resident farmers of Grundy county, Missouri, believing that the Commercial club will be a great factor in the mental, moral and financial uplift of our city and county at large, and expressing a desire to do our part in this mission of labor and love for a better citizenship, better roads, better schools, better, more prosperous and happier homes, do hereby offer our names for membership in said club, subject to the ruling of the same. We respectfully subscribe as follows: G. W. Frey, John Horton, J. E. Ford, Willard E. Freeman, C. A. Haynes, W. W. Songer, J. T. Drummond, Wm. King, J. S. Leisure, C. M. Moore, Lester Haynes."
Fully 60 per cent of the members of this club are farmers.

The President and the Politicians.

Washington Star:—The president is "toting fair" with the politicians of his party, and particularly those in congress. The record shows it.

At the outset nearly everything was "put up" to him. He arbitrated differences about patronage, and differences ceased upon his decisions. He settled disputes about legislation, and measures took shape as he advised. Senators and representatives in some cases shifted foot at his suggestion.

This established what is now known as the New Leadership. It gave Mr. Wilson the appearance of being "the whole thing," and imposed upon him a heavier burden than some inexperienced politicians thought wise for him to carry.

He, however, did not hesitate. He shouldered the pack, heavy as it was. The Star described him at the time as a plunger in the game of politics, and pointed out that in sporting circles plungers sometimes won.

These politicians are now calling on Mr. Wilson for help. Having invested him with unusual power—surrendered nearly everything to him—they want his assistance. Those in office are asking him to help them retain office, while those seeking office are asking him to help them land.

His responses are generous and show that he subscribes to the doctrine that turn about is fair play. He is chalking hats right and left.

He is working with the most "practical" men in his party. In New York he has cast his lot with the organization, which includes Tammany, and in Illinois with Roger Sullivan the most "practical" Democrat in the state.

Mr. Wilson wants another Democratic congress and as many states under Democratic control as possible. He is the issue. His party has accepted him as its supreme leader, and he is leading. He has everything at stake. If a Democratic triumph is registered next month he, and his party through him, will be strengthened for 1916. If a Democratic defeat is registered he, and his party through him, will suffer a very heavy loss.

Crow is on the menu here and there, but crow is no new dish on a political table. Politicians do not "nanker after it," but can eat it, and do eat it. The stomach incapable of digesting crow has no proper place in politics.

The present is a case of "all for one and one for all." The Democratic politicians having done all they could for Mr. Wilson are justified in asking him to do all he can for them, and he is responding. If anybody has not been served it is his own fault. He has but to ask, and pass up his platter.

The long wearing makes of overalls and work shirts at Knoles.

SHIPPERS CONCLUDE HEARINGS BEFORE COMMERCE COMMISSION

Arguments on Freight Rates Question Will Begin Next Thursday Morning.

Washington, Oct. 23.—"If it is right for the government to shield the railroads from the effects of the war; if it is right for the government to make good the losses of people in different industries, I am going to propose a measure that will require every hen in Iowa to lay an egg every day and if she fails to do so that the government shall make up to the owner of that hen a value of the egg she did not lay." This statement was made by Clifford Thorne, counsel for several western state railroad commissions and shippers' associations in presenting the shippers' side of the case at the hearing before the Interstate commerce commission on application of eastern railroads for a general increase in freight rates.

The hearing came to an end today and arguments will be heard next week with every indication of an early decision by the commission. The present action of the case of the opposing shippers occupied less than two hours as against five days occupied by witnesses for the carriers. Mr. Thorne took the position that no business depression had been shown by the carriers that did not equally effect shippers and that the increase would be unjust. Counsel for all other shippers reported joined in the statement.

Arguments will begin next Thursday morning and probably will be concluded Friday.

The carriers closed their case with the testimony of Samuel Rea, president of the Pennsylvania system. His statement followed closely the lines of previous evidence offered and his cross examination was brief.

Louis Brandeis, special counsel for the commission, drew Mr. Rea's attention to the decision of the commission in the original five per cent case, which pointed out its inability to see the justice of raising rates on freight shipments to conduct the passenger traffic shown to be operated at a deficit.

"Has anything occurred since that ruling which in your opinion justifies its modification now?" Mr. Brandeis asked.

"Nothing that I know of," admitted Mr. Rea.

"Has there been an increase in your labor charges in this period?"

"Not that I recall."

"Have the prices of railway supplies advanced to your knowledge?"

"No."

Mr. Thorne asked if it were true that the net revenue of the carriers in 1912 had not equaled 7.61 per cent on all outstanding stocks.

Mr. Rea admitted the figures were correct. Mr. Lyon representing coal shippers of Pennsylvania, asked if the Pennsylvania system had contemplated any reduction of salaries to office and employees to meet the emergency. Mr. Rea said he did not believe he should discuss that subject and the question was not pressed.

Counsel then announced that the carriers case was closed and Mr. Thorne took the stand to make his statement.

Fresh roasted Jumbo peanuts, 15c lb. Claus Tea Co.

CHARIOTED NEWLYWEDES.

A company of twenty-five went to the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Grassly on South Main street last night to give a charivari. They made merry for a time but the newlyweds would not invite them in. Later on a policeman appeared on the scene and a conference was held. After the officer left the crowd assembled again and the tin pans and other articles for noise began the second time. After waiting some time the young people left, not having the privilege of seeing the new bride.

The choicest lines of neckwear and shirts. Knoles.

Katherine Harris, wife of Jack Barrymore, is making a big success in "The Yellow Ticket."

T. P. A. rally today, meet at Pacific hotel, 9 a. m.

John Drew is to have Miss Hedman as a partner in "The Prodigal Husband," and she likes the role.

Mallory Bros. Masquerade Suits.

G. A. R. CAMP FIRE

HELD FRIDAY NIGHT

Various Comrades Told Interesting Stories of the War.

The regular monthly meeting of Post No. 378, G. A. R., was held at their headquarters rooms on West Morgan street Friday night. There was an unusually large attendance of members and quite a number of visiting comrades present. After the usual routine business Capt. J. A. Schaub, commander of the post, called upon various comrades for a few remarks which request was responded to by Comrades J. W. K. Penfield, W. J. Moore, Alex. Armstrong, Major C. E. McDougal and Dr. A. T. Bartlett, each of whom gave interesting talks in which they recounted incidents which came under their immediate observation while in the service of their country. A very enjoyable evening came to an end when the singing of that stirring old song, "Marching Through Georgia," was sung with a vim, by Capt. J. E. Wright and W. J. Moore and the chorus was sung by all present in a manner in which that song can only be sung by old soldiers.

A committee was appointed to arrange for an open camp fire to be held in the near future.

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AUTOMOBILE NOTES.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Musch of Arenzville came to the city yesterday in their White gas car and attended to some shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Newton Woods of Franklin were shopping in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Launer of Concord were visitors in the city Friday.

Wayne Dinwiddie of Arcadia was trading in town yesterday.

Robert Hills of Lynnville was in the city on business Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Scott of Woodson were trading in town yesterday.

Roy Conover of Little Indian was doing some errands in the city yesterday.

W. S. Creed and daughter, Miss Nellie of the Prentice neighborhood were shopping in the city Friday.

Charles Sanson of Quincy was a business visitor in Jacksonville Friday.

H. B. Strickling, traveling representative of the Crane Co., St. Louis was calling on the trade in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Peyton Berry of South Main street is enjoying a visit from her sister, Mrs. Martin of Springfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Anna of Marylanda were trading in the city Friday. They made the trip in their Ford car.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan L. Clark and his mother, Mrs. G. B. Clark from the neighborhood of Pleasant Plains were in the city shopping. They came in their Cole car.

Robert Gray of Markham was a Friday business visitor in the city. He made the trip in his McFarlan Six.

Louis Perbix and Harvey Scott of Markham and Harry Rice of Arnold were business visitors in the city yesterday, making the trip in their Mitchell cars.

Rally Day Saturday. Policy is \$5,000. Cost \$11 per year. Pays \$25 for 104 weeks.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

W. B. Wright to Village of Murrayville pt lot 3, blk 1, old plat Murrayville. \$1300.

Elizabeth Rawlins by executor, to H. C. Montgomery, part lot 14, Chandler's addition to Jacksonville. \$1800.

Same to same, part lot 13, Chandler's add. to Jacksonville. \$1800.

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25c Roberts Corn Cure	.20c	10c Williams Shaving Soap	.5c
25c Tooth Powder	.21c	4 bars Iana Oil Soap	.25c
35c Wyeth's Fg Malt	.25c	\$1.50 guaranteed 2 quart	
35c Pitcher's Castoria	.25c	Hot Water Bottle	\$1.00
25c Antiseptic Ointment	.19c	\$1.00 Beef Wine and Iron	.75c
35c Robert's Almond Cream	.23c	\$1.00 Sarsaparilla Compound	.69c
25c Dressing Combs	.15c	7c Bath Brushes	.59c
25c Cold Cream	.15c	25c Tar and Wild Cherry	
25c Belladonna Plasters	.15c	Cough Syrup	.19c

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CITY AND COUNTY

George Munch of Arenzville was a visitor in town yesterday.

J. O. Parker of Lynnville was a Friday visitor in the city.

F. J. Andrews has gone to Liverpool for a few days' stay.

Martin Feore of Franklin was trading in the city Friday.

A. F. Morris of Merritt was a visitor in Jacksonville Friday.

Mrs. Ben Negus of Orleans was a visitor in the city yesterday.

A. B. Chapman of Litterberry spent Friday in Jacksonville.

Harvey Summers of Bluffs was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Anna Coultas of Merritt was a caller in the city yesterday.

J. M. Fox of Chapin was transacting business in the city Friday.

George Engelbach of Arenzville was trading in the city Friday.

Herman Engle, a was in the city on business yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Long were in the city from Ashland Friday.

Mrs. Isiah Strawn was a visitor in the city from Orleans.

(Mrs. Earl Lukeman of Pisgah was shopping in the city Friday.

Mrs. Earl Hitch of White Hall was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Harold Strawn of Alexander was shopping in the city Friday.

John L. German of Woodson was calling on city merchants Friday.

Mrs. Mary Kumble of Alexander was in Jacksonville shopping Friday.

Mrs. Jesse James of Beardstown was shopping in the city yesterday.

Sylvester Arbuckle who has been ill the past week is reported better.

Bryan Young of Winchester was a business visitor in the city Friday.

Charles Davis of Pisgah was transacting business in the city Friday.

Mrs. Joseph Duckwall of Lynnville was shopping in the city yesterday.

Lincoln Cowdin of Joy Prairie was a Friday business visitor in the city.

Mrs. Harold Strawn of Alexander was shopping in the city Friday.

Mrs. William Rees of Rees station was a visitor in the city Friday.

Mrs. T. B. Fozzard of rural route No. 4. was shopping in the city Friday.

Guy Wilday of Mercedosa was in the city yesterday in his National car.

R. C. Baker of Roodhouse was transacting business in the city Friday.

P. M. Condit of Beardstown was calling on friends in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Fletcher and Mrs. William Stringer and daughter, Mrs. Mary of Winchester were on a shopping trip to Jacksonville Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Adkins of Ashland were visitors in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Becker of Alexander were visitors in the city Friday.

William Heilberg of Mercedosa was a business visitor in the city Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Rexroat of Concord were shopping in the city Friday.

Mrs. T. N. Fox of Chapin was among the visitors in Jacksonville Friday.

Supt. W. B. Miser of the Railway and Light Co., spent Friday in Springfield.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Lemon of Murrayville were shopping in the city Friday.

Dr. J. M. Elder of Franklin was among the business visitors in the city Friday.

Mrs. J. T. Coultas of Bluffs was among the ladies shopping in the city Friday.

Frank Votsmeier of Clements was among the business visitors in the city yesterday.

Edgar Beerp of Franklin was among the business callers in the city yesterday.

Roy Conover of Virginia was among the business callers in the city Friday.

Ed Chrisman of the Merritt neighborhood was a business visitor to the city Friday.

Charles Hadden and family of northwest of the city were shoppers in the city Friday.

Lewis Corty and family of Merritt motored to Jacksonville Friday in their Ford car.

Mrs. John Rawlings of Franklin was among the ladies shopping in the city Friday.

(William Cary of Winchester was a Jacksonville visitor Friday, coming in his Reo car.

Mr. and Mrs. George Brown of Franklin were among the shoppers in the city yesterday.

George Conover of Buffalo, Sangamon county was calling on friends in Jacksonville Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cash of Roodhouse were among the Friday visitors in Jacksonville.

George Hardwick and wife were shoppers in Jacksonville Friday, coming in their Oakland car.

Walter Adkins and Miss Vera Adkins were among the Ashland visitors in the city Friday.

J. T. Lacey of the Joy Prairie neighborhood was a business visitor in Jacksonville Friday.

Mrs. William Newman, Jr. is spending the day at the home of Miss Eva Baxter in Woodson.

Misses Helen Leek and Helen Ingalls expect to go to Alton today to attend the high school football game.

Bernard Cole of the Jacksonville Railway and Light Co., office force, expects to spend tomorrow in Carlisle.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Curry of Pisgah were in the city yesterday to attend the Illinois-Shurtleff football game.

Among the business visitors in the city yesterday from Markham were Albert and Bert Killam and A. W. McFarland.

Dr. L. W. Fulton of New Berlin and Ernest Strawn of Alexander have returned from a business trip to Arkansas.

Mrs. Harry Smith and Miss Ione Gallagher of Woodson were visitors in the shopping districts of the city Friday.

Mrs. J. V. Richardson of the Point neighborhood has returned home.

after a visit at the home of her sister in Beardstown.

The Centenary Ladies' Aid Society will hold a rummage sale in the Chambers Building on West State street, today.

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H. H. White of St. Francis, Kansas is visiting with T. H. White and W. B. White of Woodson. He will remain for two weeks.

Miss Helen McBride will go this evening to Decatur to be a guest on Sunday at the home of her friend, Miss Essie Mose.

G. W. Walling and Edward Hefflin of Versailles were in the city yesterday to attend the Democratic meeting at the court house.

M. W. Sappington, an undertaker of Winchester, was transacting business in Jacksonville Friday. He made the trip in his Ford.

Miss Effie A. Landson of Cairo arrived in the city Friday and is a guest at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Laura Kellogg on Grove street.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Joy and son of Joy Prairie came into town to do some shopping yesterday. They made the trip in their Cadillac car.

Special Peaberry coffee, 25c lb. Try it. Claus Tea Co.

Mrs. J. H. Danskin of West College avenue is a guest of relatives in Joliet and will go to Elgin to attend the convention of the D. A. R. before coming home.

Mrs. L. W. Fulton and son, Lee William of New Berlin have returned to their home in New Berlin after a visit at the home of Mrs. Ernest Strawn in Alexander.

Dr. and Mrs. C. I. Glenn, Miss Dorothy Sargent, Miss Marie Austin, Miss Catherine Taylor and Mrs. William Rees of Franklin were among the visitors in town Friday.

John C. Muech has had a hot and cold water system and a hot water heating system installed in his residence in Arenzville. The work was done by the firm of Bates and Bartholomew.

Better Hats has popularized FRANK BYRNS' Hat Store.

Mrs. Frank Patterson of near Collins, Iowa, who has been in the city for the past two weeks visiting her brothers, Leo Shaven of Franklin street and J. E. Shaven of Beesley avenue, returned home Thursday.

Mrs. Allan F. Ayers of Denver, Colo., who has been visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. E. B. Hamilton in Quincy for the past week, is expected in the city this morning to spend the day with her husband's parents Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ayers on West State street.

GREAT ASSORTMENT OF TRIMMED HATS FROM \$1.50 UP AT HERMAN'S.

PASTOR CALLED.

Rev. E. L. Scruggs of Monmouth, Ill., who has accepted a call to the Mt. Emory Baptist church, is expected to arrive in the city today. He will hold services in the church both morning and evening Sunday.

\$20.00 VALUE COATS ONLY \$14.50 AT HERMAN'S.

GUESTS AT COX HOME.

Mrs. E. O. Cully and twin daughters, Isabel and Claribel of Sinclair are spending a few days at the home of Mrs. Cully's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Cox of 213 Caldwell street.

Mrs. G. E. Hill, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cox is here for a visit from Peoria. Mr. Hill is in the employ of Swift and Company and has been transferred to Des Moines, Iowa, where his wife will join him in a few weeks.

MATRIMONIAL

Oliver-Woodall.

The marriage of Russel Oliver and Miss Alma Woodall took place Friday evening at 10 o'clock, at the residence of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Oliver, 2 1-2 miles northeast of the city. Rev. Walter E. Spoons, of Northminster Presbyterian church officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Henry L. Woodall of North Diamond connected with Northminster church, street and both young people are They have a great many friends who will wish them well in their new life. They left over the Wabash for Springfield and upon their return will make their home in Jacksonville.

SPECIAL REDUCTIONS THIS WEEK IN ALL DEPARTMENTS AT HERMAN'S.

STATE LIBRARIANS CLOSE

ANNUAL CONVENTION

Desired Legislation Given Special Consideration—Hope to Establish County Libraries and Thus Increase Number of Borrowers.

The 19th meeting of the Illinois Library association in Springfield closed yesterday afternoon and the librarians from Jacksonville returned home.

The most interesting phase of the meetings which were held at the Capitol, Oct. 21-23 were the discussions on library legislation and particularly as to changing the laws so that it will be possible to have county libraries in Illinois. Mr. Legler, librarian of the Chicago Public Library, presented the matter showing that an increase in the number of borrowers for a library would mean that the books could be circulated more cheaply. If one man wishes twenty books they cost twenty dollars, but if twenty men can use the same books they cost only one dollar per capita. This principle can be applied more widely to extending the library resources in a town to the county and having the rural communities co-operate with a central library.

Mr. Legler gave some history of the county library movement and quoted examples of especially successful attempts at working out the principles and problems.

Miss Mary Eileen Ahern, editor of Public Libraries, who is to be president of the association for next year, is very interested in the question of library legislation and will do much to suggest good ideas and put them before the people. She came over to Jacksonville yesterday for a brief visit with Dr. Milligan.

A modern library is not merely a conservative agency for the preservation of books but is a positive educational force in the community. This fact is coming to be more and more generally recognized and the rural communities feel the need of good books strongly. It is only a question of time it will take to work out details and methods until books will go out to the farm and small town under some law for library extension.

WOMEN'S FALL COATS WORTH \$19.75 AND \$22.50 ON THIS SALE THIS WEEK ONLY \$11.95. THE EMPORIUM.

GAMMA DELTA SOCIETY MEETS.

The Gamma Delta Literary society of Illinois college held its regular meeting Friday at Academy hall. Four new members were voted into membership—Misses Ruth Collins, Emily Ninde, Miriam Akers and Marian Candee. A program was given and the regular business of the society was transacted. The society has taken the Y. M. C. A. room in Beecher hall and will re-decorate it for the society meetings during 1914-15. Sandwich sales have been held at Illinois football games and the proceeds will be used to pay for the re-decoration.

Big time! Good time! Pastime! Smoke time! T. P. A. meeting.

WOMAN'S RELIEF CORPS MEETS.

District Inspector Exemplifies Ritualistic Work—District Convention to be Held Today in Barry.

Friday afternoon at the G. A. R. hall on West Morgan street, the regular meeting of the Woman's Relief Corps was held with a large attendance of members. This was the occasion of the visit of the district inspector, Mrs. Nellie Eastman of Dixon, who is making her annual visit to all of the lodges in her jurisdiction. She exemplified the ritualistic work and made a very interesting talk. At the close of the meeting ice cream and cake were dispensed.

The annual district convention of the order will be held in Barry this morning. Two years ago the district meeting was held in Barry and at that time the ladies were royally entertained. Among those from the local corps who will attend are Mrs. W. H. Jordan, Mrs. Jane DeFreitas, Mrs. N. R. Whorton, Mrs. Cornelia Pyffe, Mrs. Martha Day and Mrs. Annie Vieira.

Fresh roasted Jumbo Peanuts 15c lb. Claus Tea Co.

SEWING CLUB MEETS.

The Friday afternoon sewing club met with Mrs. Clyde Singley at her home on East State street Friday afternoon with all members present. The house was prettily decorated with autumn leaves and in the dining room the Holloween idea was carried out. A three course luncheon was served and a delightful social afternoon was enjoyed.

Better Hats for Better Dressers gets FRANK BYRNS' Hat Store better acquainted.

GIVEN HEAVY FINE.

J. O. Brady was brought to Jacksonville Friday evening from Waverly and was placed in custody of Sheriff Rogers at the county jail. Brady has been loafing around Waverly for some days and was finally arrested and arraigned in court on a charge of carrying concealed weapons. There he was fined \$100 and costs for the offense and has come to "lay" it out.

Don't forget T. P. A. rally and meeting today.

TO RETURN FROM CHICAGO.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Hale are expected to return to the city today, from Chicago where they have been for a short time. Mr. Hale went to Chicago to take a position as "sender" for the International News Service, but decided that he would rather reside in Jacksonville. He will return to his position as operator for the same news service at the Jacksonville Courier office.

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SMART FROCKS FOR FALL WEAR

Easy to make at Home when Developed by the Use of Pictorial Review Patterns

The New Russian Tunic Dress, No. 5811, will cost you \$11.28 if developed as follows: Size 36 requires—

4 1/2 yards Black Satin, for collar and waist, 36-inch material at \$1.50	\$6.75
2 yards Roman stripe silk, for skirt, collar, waist, belt, 14 inches wide, at \$1.25 a yard	2.50
1 1/2 yards Hosiery, 36 inches wide, at 75c a yard	.33
7-8 yard Webbing, for stay, 1/2 inch wide, at 25c a yard	.18
5-8 yard All-over Lace, 18 inches wide, for skirt, at \$1.25 a yard	.47
15 Jet 1 long, diamond, lace, at 20c a yard	.59
7-8 yard 2000 Yards, at 25c a yard	.22
1 Spool Sewing Silk	.09
1 Pictorial Review Pattern No. 5811, size 36	.15
Total Cost	\$11.28

5890—Ladies Rednote Dress if made as Illustrated: Size 36 requires—

3 1/4 yards Blue Broadcloth, for Rednote, 36-inch material, at \$2.00 a yard	\$6.50
2 1/4 yards Black Satin, for skirt and lower part of skirt, 36 inches wide, at \$1.25 a yard	2.83
1 1/2 yards Lining, for inner part of foundation gown, at 50c a yard	.28
3-8 yard White Satin, for collar and cuffs, 27 inches wide, at \$1.25 a yard	.42
1 doz. Jet Buttons	.50
11 yards silk Broad, at 10c a yard	1.00
1 Spool Sewing Silk	.09
1 Pictorial Review Pattern, No. 5890, size 36	.15
Total cost	\$11.92

Russian Tunic Costume 5811—15c Costume 5890—15c

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ALBERT L. TAYLOR PASSES AWAY EARLY FRIDAY MORNING

Well Known Young Business Man
Succumbs to Blood Poisoning—
Funeral to be Held Sunday Afternoon.

Albert L. Taylor died at 6:30 o'clock Friday morning at the family residence, 717 Jordan street. His death was due to septicemia, or blood poisoning, which resulted from the irritation given a small eruption in one of his nostrils. He was confined to his bed for about two weeks, and was a great sufferer until death came to his relief.

Bert Taylor as he was familiarly called by a large circle of friends and business acquaintances, was born on a farm in the vicinity of Woodson, Sept. 7, 1885, and at the time of his death he had reached the age of 29 years, 1 month and 16 days. He was a son of James and Amanda White and his mother dying while he was but an infant of six months he was taken three months later into the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Riggs Taylor and by them treated with the fostering care of parents, being cared for and educated as if one of their own children. Mr. and Mrs. Taylor have reared three other children all of whom have, as did Bert Taylor, proven worthy of the care and confidence given them by their foster parents. Albert after receiving his education and arriving at young manhood found employment in various mercantile houses in the business part of the city being with one clothing house for several years. He was for a time employed in the counting room of the Courier and at the time of his death he was a member of the U. J. Hale Coal Co., in this city.

Albert L. Taylor was united in marriage in the fall of the year 1910 to Miss Elva Stinson of Mt. Sterling, the ceremony being performed at Springfield. He was a member of Central Christian church and his friendship was esteemed by all who knew him. He is survived by his foster parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Taylor, his wife and little daughter, Mary Elizabeth, aged three years, by his brother, Rev. George White, of Seattle, Wash., his brother Harry White, whose location is not known at present, his sister Mrs. Ida Smith of Pickneyville, Ill., and his foster sister, Mrs. Ivan Agee of Litchfield, Ill.

Funeral services will be held at 2:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Riggs Taylor, 1417 South Main street and will be conducted by Rev. Myron L. Pontius, pastor of Central Christian church. Interment will be in Diamond Grove cemetery.

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NOTICE WOODMEN.
All members of Unity Grove Camp No. 132 M. W. A., are requested to meet at Centenary church at 1:30 p. m., Sunday to attend the funeral of member H. B. Norman.

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THE EMPORIUM.**

I. O. O. F. NOTICE.
Members of Urania lodge No. 243 are requested to meet at the hall at one p. m. Sunday, Oct. 25, to attend the funeral of our late Bro. Albert Taylor. Members of Illinois lodge No. 4 and visiting brothers invited.

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COLLEGE SOCIETIES ELECT.

Regular Meetings Are Held Friday Evening—Each Take in Two New Members.

The two literary societies of Illinois college—Phi Alpha and Sigma Pi—held their regular meetings Friday evening and their election of officers. Each society took in two new members. The programs and elections of each, follow:

Phi Alpha.
Essays—F. Davis: "The World Past and Present at the Feet of the Individual." Penbix: "American Patriotism." Blum: "Woman Suffrage."

Declamation—Mendonsa "Influence After Death."

Orator—Butcher the New South.

Reader—Gustafson About Barbers.

Extemporizer—Mangner the Irish in Football.

Carlos Campbell and Dale Gilberson were admitted into the society.

The election of officers resulted as follows:

President—R. H. Broadwell.

Vice president—Thomas Mangner.

Recording secretary—Walter Heath.

Corresponding secretary—Roy Berry.

Chaplain—J. C. Irwin.

Critic—Arthur Petrie.

Treasurer—Arthur Gustafson.

Librarian—Humphrey.

Assistant Librarian—F. Davis.

Members' prudential committee—Wilson, Akers, Gilberson, Blum and Dederding.

Thomas Mangner was elected delegate to the oratorical contest which is to take place at Bloomington, Nov. 6.

Sigma Pi.

The regular meeting of Sigma Pi society was held Friday evening and the election of officers resulted in the choice of the following:

President—C. H. Dixon.

Vice president—E. L. Spray.

Recording secretary—H. K. McLaughlin.

Critic—E. A. Harmon.

Treasurer—E. F. Alford.

Corresponding secretary—E. J. Alexander.

Secretary of Archives—R. Capps.

Librarian—H. Brown.

Assistant Librarian—C. Apple.

Sergeant at Arms—H. D. Wilson.

Prudential committee—H. Bray, G. Haley, E. Lukeman.

George Haley and Elmer Lukeman were elected to membership in the society.

The subject selected for debate was: "Resolved that the Illinois Primary Law is a Failure."

The debaters: Affirmative—Capps and Spray; negative—Worthington and Berryman.

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DEMOCRATS HAD MASS MEETING AT COURT HOUSE

Congressman Williams Gave Review of National Administration Work—Made Plea for Sullivan—County Candidates Talked.

A Democratic mass meeting was held at the court house Friday night and was well attended. Congressman Rainey, who had been announced as one of the speakers, sent a telegram during the day to Bernard Cause, chairman of the Democratic Central committee, that duties at Washington made it impossible for him to leave just at this time. However, there was no lack of oratory as Hon. Elza Williams of Pike county, congressman-at-large, made an address and other speakers of the evening were: E. L. Merritt of Springfield, candidate for legislature, and several candidates for county offices, William Masters, C. A. Boruff, H. H. Vasconcellos, A. D. Arnold, William E. Thomson and Andrew Wilson.

Mr. Cause called the meeting to order and introduced the various candidates for county offices and subsequently presented Judge E. P. Brockhouse as the chairman of the evening. Mr. Merritt, in a fifteen minute speech referred to his record when he was a member of the Illinois general assembly and suggested the general line of action he would follow if again chosen to represent this district. He promised that he would be equally zealous for Morgan and Sangamon counties.

Congressman Williams, who made the principal address of the occasion, devoted the larger part of his time toward explaining the legislation enacted by congress and the general policy of the administration. He strongly commended the president's attitude on Mexican affairs and said that more recent events had entirely justified the policy pursued by Mr. Wilson and in reality had resulted in a personal victory for the president. In closing he made a strong appeal for support for Roger Sullivan as United States senator, declaring that Mr. Sullivan had absolutely agreed to support the president if elected and declared further that Mr. Sullivan had never been known to break a pledge.

Read Widmayer's adv. on page 7. Special prices on mutton.

Double Heel Rubbers at Hoppers.

MORTUARY

Martin.

Miss Mary Martin died Wednesday evening at 5:45 o'clock at Delavan, Ill. Burial will be Sunday afternoon at 3 p. m. The deceased lived in Jacksonville about 15 years ago and was an employee of the Phelps & Osborne store. Her sister, Miss Sarah Martin, was with her at the time of death.

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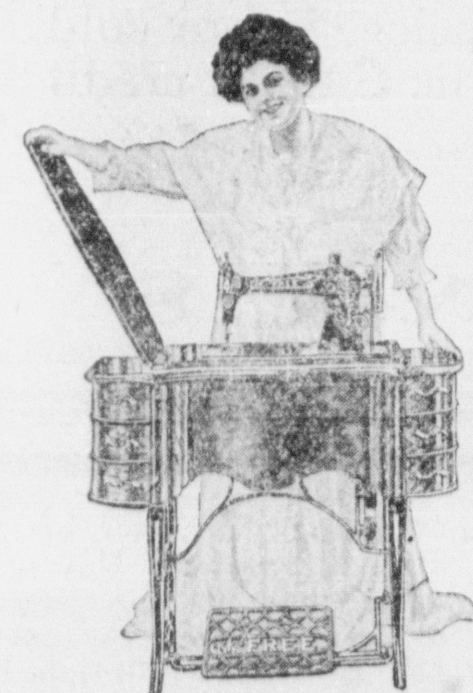
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SENATOR SHERMAN'S LIFE STORY FULL OF INTEREST

Republican Candidate Has Struggle to Secure Education—Hard Early Experiences Qualified Him For Greater Conflicts in After Life.

Lawrence Y. Sherman was born in Brown township, Miami county, O., November 8, 1858. His parents were part of that mighty tide, who followed in their generation, the setting sun. They were poor. His father was a backwoodsman. All the first part of his life was passed in the heavy timbered areas of Ohio. He trailed an animal and shot a rifle with the same unerring certainty. He saw the good points of a horse instinctively at sight. One of his scruples was his failure to teach his own son his craft.

In 1866 the family moved to Jasper county, Illinois, settling in Grove township, where the parents lived until their deaths. Of the trip to Jasper county, Senator Sherman says: "I have a most vivid remembrance of our journey to Jasper county. We made it in the autumn, in a covered wagon. My parents, my two sisters, Sylvia, older, and Jennie, younger than myself, a span of horses attached to the wagon, the usual household plunder of that day and a stocky brindle dog named 'Cuff', who was with me on most of my explorations and mischief, with a bay colt, constituted our little caravan. I remember to this day, when we went through Springfield. It was raining hard. I plodded along behind the covered wagon with my trousers rolled up to my knees. My bare feet sank in the muddy streets. The black mud was deep and no paving interfered. It was a warm autumn rain and the dog and I were content to follow the wagon and hope the sun would soon shine again. I remember the first wooden Indian tobacco sign I ever saw. It was in front of a store we passed. The wooden Indian, the rain and the black mud, were my first permanent impressions of Springfield. My mother pointed out a large building and told me it was the state house. I passed out of Springfield in that early childhood day following a covered wagon, to return there to live, forty years afterward."

In the fall of 1871, young Sherman hired out to a neighbor who had a long spell of fever. His wages were \$13 per month with board and lodging. He cut corn, fed hogs, made fence, shucked corn later in the season, hauled wood, milked cows and attended to chores. He had about all the instruction a district school could give him at that time. The next year young Sherman spent with a threshing machine. Wages were better but work was harder. At the age of seventeen, Sherman applied for a country school and was employed as teacher. When he attended the county seat to be examined, his wardrobe was out of style. Of this incident in his life Senator Sherman says:

"It seemed to me a very large hall of the best dressed, wisest looking people I ever saw. I have never seen any filled me with such awe since. My heavy boots and rough worn trousers seemed to attract attention from which I suffered keenly, during the inspection from the curious eyes. After awhile the examinations started and I forgot about it. Most of the questions were on matters I had heard of before, so my nervousness passed away. It's the only recollection of my clothes ever bothering me."

Sherman entered McKendree College, at Lebanon, Illinois, in St. Clair county, in 1879. There he met the Hon. Charles S. Deneen for the first time. Deneen's father, Samuel H. Deneen, was a professor in the college. In 1880 Sherman began to read Blackstone and took up a regular course of study under Judge Horner of Lebanon. In 1882 he was admitted to the bar. When Sherman located in Macomb his worldly possessions amounted \$7.00. Of this he says: "I was undismayed, for being out of money was a familiar condition. It never seemed to bother me. In a few days I found work driving a team and hauling freight. Some of it was timely and clover seed shipped to Chicago. I read night and morning in the office of the Hon. Damon G. Tunnicliff, who was one of the good lawyers of that county. I swept out, dusted and cleaned his office. Once in awhile he gave me papers to copy. I was glad to do the work to learn the forms. I never asked nor expected pay for anything done about his office. I believed it the best

school I had been in. Later on in the fall I sold apples from southern Illinois in Macomb. I delivered some to H. H. Hainline, now postmaster there and publisher of the Macomb Journal, an old and staunch Republican newspaper. Doc as folks called him, never seemed to forget me from the day I put apples in his cellar. By fall I had over \$100 saved. Meanwhile I became acquainted with Lyman B. Vose, a young school teacher of that county who had read law. We were fellow sufferers. We combined our ambition and poverty. The new law firm of Vose and Sherman was the result. We remained partners four years."

In 1886 Sherman was elected county judge of McDonough county. For 23 years he practiced law at Macomb, only leaving there to move to Springfield. When his term as county judge expired in 1890, not being a candidate for re-election, he entered into partnership with George T. Tunnicliff. That partnership lasted eighteen years.

In 1896, Senator Sherman moved to Springfield, voting there that spring for the first time. In 1896, the same year, Sherman was elected to the lower house of the Illinois legislature, his service there covering a period of twelve years. Of this time, four years was spent as presiding officer of the state senate. In 1909 Governor Deneen appointed Sherman president of the Board of Administration, which office he held until the year 1913, when he voluntarily tendered his resignation to Governor Dunne. Two months later he was elected United States Senator to fill the unexpired term of William Lorimer.

MANY CROSS CURRENTS IN TRADE AND FINANCE

Give Commercial and Financial Affairs an Irregular Appearance.

New York, Oct. 23.—Bradstreet's tomorrow will say: "Cross currents in trade and finance, domestic and foreign, give a very irregular appearance to commercial and financial affairs. The war abroad is still the dominating element in the entire situation and what ever dullness or, on the other hand, stimulation is visible, takes its rise apparently in the hostilities in Europe. On the favorable side of the picture are to be found the rather better tone of financial matters caused by international efforts to bring about a resumption of normal conditions in the exchange market, the cotton export situation and the re-opening of the stock markets."

Bank clearings for the week ending October 22, according to Bradstreet's were \$2,733,346,000, a decrease of 24.6 per cent. from the same week last year; business failures were 336 against 246 last year; wheat exports including flour 5,438,478 bushels against 8,325,388 bushels last year.

FUNERAL NOTICE

The funeral of Harry Benson Norman will be held Sunday afternoon at two o'clock at Centenary church.

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C. P. & ST. L. CAR SHOPS CLOSE DOWN FOR TEN DAYS

Over One Hundred Employees Are Laid Off Thursday Afternoon—Wabash Shops at Springfield Working But Thirty Hours a Week.

By order of Superintendent Geo. W. Imgrund the Chicago, Peoria and St. Louis shops have closed down for ten days. This is not caused from a lack of work, as there is plenty to do at the shops. The order is evidently made to cut expenses. The condition at the shops is not extraordinary, as there has been a curtailment of expense in almost every line of business, and especially in the railroad business, during the last few months. The Wabash shops at Springfield are reported to be working but five hours a day, or but thirty hours a week. The local shops have been working 40 hours a week, eight hours a day five days a week. The men were laid off at four o'clock Thursday afternoon and will not report for work again until seven o'clock Monday morning, Nov. 2. Many of the workmen are taking advantage of the lay-off by taking trips to other parts of the country.

Engineer Thomas Heaton took engine No. 53 to Springfield Thursday and returned with the same engine yesterday morning.

Engine No. 64 is under-going repairs, the men in the boiler department working on a new fire box.

Clay Corbridge, blacksmith helper, went to Bath yesterday for a few days.

Charles Pires, blacksmith, expects to go to Peoria today for a few days visit.

Michael Snyder and Allan Franz, of the machine shop, have gone to Havana.

John Hagel, upholsterer, took advantage of the Chicago & Alton excursion and is spending a part of the enforced vacation in Chicago.

Henry Barrebra, boilermaker, is enjoying a visit to Springfield.

Harry Everett, boilermaker, has gone to Quincy for a week's visit with his sister.

Engine No. 41 from Springfield is in the round house for repairs.

ILLINOIS D. A. F.'S. ELECT OFFICERS

Mrs. George T. Page of Peoria is Chosen Regent at Elgin Meeting.

Elgin, Ill., Oct. 23.—Officers were elected this afternoon at the final session of the Eighteenth annual convention of the American Revolution as follows:

Regent—Mrs. George T. Page, Peoria.

Vice regent—Mrs. Frank Bahson, Rock Island.

Secretary—Mrs. David J. Dummer, Elgin.

Treasurer—Mrs. T. H. Woodruff, Quincy.

Historian—Mrs. Charles D. Knowlton, Freeport.

Consulting registrar—Mrs. Noble C. Shumway, Chicago.

DEMOCRATIC MEETING.

In the Franklin Times Editor Luttrell gives the following account of a Democratic meeting recently held in his village:

"Under the leadership of General Bernard Gause, chairman of the county committee, the Democratic candidates for county office, supported by Col. Edward P. Brockhouse, county judge, Major E. L. Merritt, of Sangamon county, a candidate for the state assembly, and Harry Hart, High Private in the Ranks and deputy county clerk, invaded Franklin precinct yesterday, and after enfilading every exposed point with raking volleys of shrapnel, were joined about dusk by the Home Guards, headed by Capt. James Kenny, and captured Olin's hall, where several dozen of the faithful and a few republicans and progressives were kept in close confinement till a late hour and bombarded with repeated salvos of heavy artillery, each candidate manning the guns in turn after Chairman Gause had appropriately fixed the priming."

"When the several candidates were worn out in action, the reserves were called upon and Capt. Kenny, J. B. Burch, Dennis Whalen, George Brown, G. J. Dowell and others responded gallantly and carried the colors over the inner breastworks where they were firmly planted and the enemy ran up the white flag."

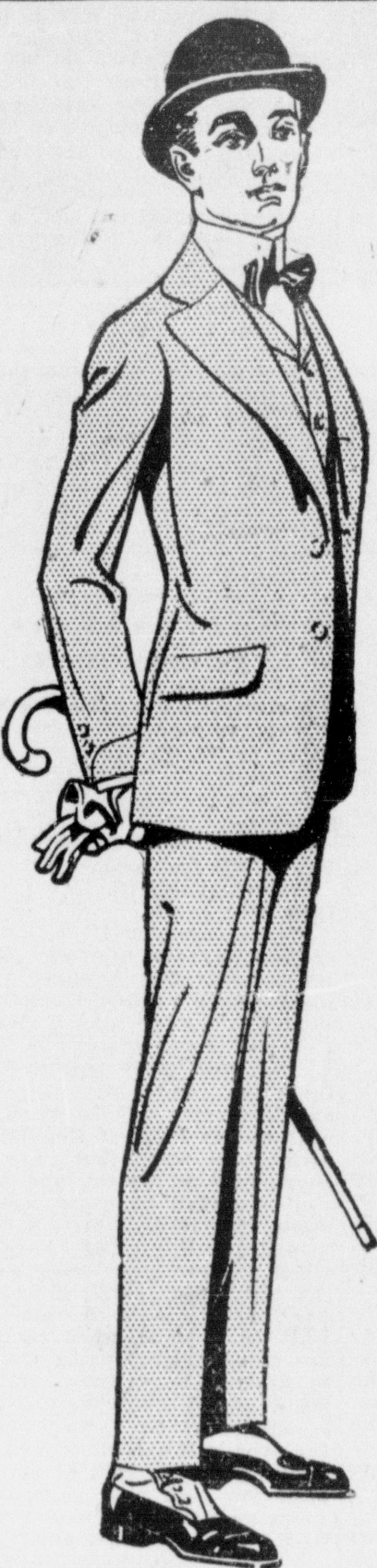
"The meeting was one of the most enthusiastic Democrats have stirred up in Franklin precinct in years and indicated that the several candidates are working in harmony for the success of the entire ticket."

RETURNS FROM CONVENTION.

Rev. Percy W. Stephens, pastor of the First Baptist church is at home from Mt. Vernon where he was in attendance upon the annual meeting of the Baptist Association. Mrs. Stephens who has been visiting at the home of her parents in Chicago for the past few days is expected home tonight.

BARNHISER ELETED.

Decatur, Ill., Oct. 22.—Dr. J. G. Barnhiser of Forrest was elected president of the Central Illinois Homeopathic Medical association in their 33rd annual convention which was held in Decatur today. Dr. Clara A. Garber, of Decatur, was elected vice president and Dr. E. C. Gaffney, of Lincoln, was elected secretary-treasurer. The 1915 meeting of the association will be held in Champaign in October.



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SOIL REPORT NO. 7 ON M'DONOUGH COUNTY SOILS

Agricultural Experiment Station Publishes Report on Various Types of Soils.

A forty-six page report on the soils of McDonough County has just been published by the Agricultural Experiment Station. The authors are Professors Hopkins, Mosier, Pettit, and Fisher. This report is sent only to residents of the county concerned, and to anyone else upon request.

The report gives the various types of soil found in the county, methods of treatment of each type, soil maps, several cuts, results of experiments, etc.

A very significant paragraph and one that every farmer ought to read is stated in the report: "The chemical analysis of the soil gives the invoice of fertility actually present in the soil stories sampled and analyzed, but, as explained in the appendix rate of liberation is governed by many factors. Also, as there stated, probably no agricultural fact is more generally known by farmers and landowners than that soils differ in productive power. Even the plowed alike and at the same time, prepared the same way, planted the same day with the same kind of seed, and cultivated alike, watered by the same rains and warmed by the same sun, nevertheless the best acre may produce twice as large a crop as the poorest acre on the same farm if not indeed in the same field; and the fact should be repeated and emphasized that the productive power of normal soil in humid sections depends upon the stock of plant food contained in the soil and upon the rate at which it is liberated."

COUNTERFEITERS ESCAPE TO WAR.

Montreal, P. Q., Oct. 23.—Although three of a band of six alleged counterfeiters who have been making American and Canadian bills have enlisted and gone to the European war, the police have rounded up the balance of the gang, and Edward Painchaud will go on trial next Monday at Joliette, P. Q. Painchaud and five others were caught in a raid by the provincial police at Lanoraie, near Joliette. They had their headquarters in a shed, and here the officers found a complete engraving outfit and a quantity of unfinished United States ten dollar bills. After the gang was released, Painchaud and Alphonse Moury, another member, were caught passing counterfeit five dollar Canadian bills, and were arrested on the new charge.

CONDITIONS IN AFRICA.

Providence, R. I., Oct. 22.—Conditions in northern Africa were described by Dr. William W. Lowther, a Methodist missionary from Algiers and Morocco, when he arrived today on the Steamer Britannia from Marseilles.

"Arabs in revolt against the French have killed more than half of the French officers in charge of the troops in northern Africa," Dr. Lowther said. "German soldiers of fortune, many of them deserters from the French forces, are aiding the Arabs."

TABLET TO DANIEL WEBSTER'S SON IS DEDICATED.

Union and Confederate Soldiers Joined in Impressive Ceremonies.

Manassas, Va., Oct. 23.—Confederate and Union warriors united today in the dedication of a tablet to the memory of Col. Fletcher Webster, a son of Daniel Webster, America's greatest statesman. Colonel Webster fell during the third day's fighting in the second battle of Bull Run. Members of his old command, the 12th Massachusetts Regiment attended the exercises. Joining with them was Colonel Edmund E. B. Berkeley, 92 years old, ranking Confederate veteran of Prince William County, Va., and many members of Colonel Berkeley's old regiment who remember distinctly seeing Colonel Webster fall from his horse over a half century ago.

Lieutenant Samuel Appleton, who served in Colonel Webster's regiment, and is a grand-son of Daniel Webster, delivered the dedicatory address. Senator Weeks of Massachusetts was present and spoke to the gathering, extolling the great public service of the Webster family.

The tablet which was unveiled with appropriate ceremonies, is a granite boulder taken from the old Webster farm at Marshfield, Mass. It stands on the spot where Colonel Webster fell mortally wounded from his horse, about six miles from Manassas.

One of the pleasing events of today was the luncheon served by the Daughters of the Confederacy to the northern visitors.

NEW HAMPSHIRE TOWN HAS 150TH BIRTHDAY.

Claremont, N. H., Oct. 23.—This town is unusually alive with visitors, who have come from far and near for the 150th birthday celebration of Claremont, which opens on Sunday. The plans are completed, and Sunday will be given over to religious observances. Monday will be anniversary day, with historical and patriotic addresses and Tuesday will be "Farmers' and Merchants' Day, with a parade and country fair as leading events."

COST OF WARS COMPARED.

Washington, Oct. 23.—The other day it was stated that the war in Europe is costing Germany at the rate of \$5,000,000 per day, France \$7,000,000 per day and Great Britain \$4,750,000 per day. From records compiled a half century ago of the cost of our Civil War, we learn that during 29 months, from

EXTRA SPECIAL

This Week

CHOICE MUTTON

Mutton Legs 12½c lb.

Mutton Chops 12½c lb.

Mutton Stews 7c

WIDMAYER'S CASH MARKET

217 W. State Street

July, 1861, our expense as a nation was \$1,500,000 per day.

KINDLY NEIGHBORS.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Switzer desire to thank their friends and neighbors who came with teams and prepared the ground and sowed wheat for them. Mr. Switzer is a patient at Dr. Day's hospital, having undergone an operation for appendicitis. He is improving in a gratifying manner. Among those present were Warren Watts, Urvin Watts, Herman Shoemaker, Charles Theis, Glen Walker, Chris German and Henry Morhole and Link Luce. Mrs. Watts, Mrs. Shoemaker and Mrs. Morhole helped prepare dinner which all enjoyed at the noon hour.

COMPLETES SPEAKING TRIP.

Denver, Colo., Oct. 22.—W. J. Bryan, secretary of state, completed a two days' speaking trip in Colorado with a speech tonight at Greeley. He then left for Cheyenne, Wyo.



Bat The Rat

Through weary years we swatted flies, which swatted us—twas tit for tat—and now we're asked to nobly rise, like armored knights, and bat the rat. We swatted flies at your behest, oh tireless sanitation crank; we drove the critters galley west, and a mote them hip and thigh and flank. And ever, in our sad career, one hope was burning in our breast, "The Autumn time will soon be here," we murmured, "and we'll then have rest. Then we may lay our swatters down, we poor exhausted, fly-specked men, and idly navigate the town, and play the slot machines again." But now the Autumn time is come, the flies are mostly lying flat, by chilly evenings rendered numb—and we must start to bat the rat. It has all seasons for its own, the rodent we are asked to swat; it flourishes when the blizzards moan, it is on deck when winds are hot. So we begin this endless stunt like martyrs of an elder day, the more we bat, the more we hunt, the more we'll find to slug and slay. And when we've batted till we're sore, and tears are streaming from our eyes, we'll wish we might resume once more the gentle sport of swatting flies.



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THE YELLOW PERIL.

Japanese warning.

The Japanese early sought for the truth, and their earliest knowledge was the principle that their strength depended on a healthy stomach. They eat very little and practice "Jiu-Jitsu"—muscular exercise from youth up. The stomach is the center of the body from which radiates our vitality, strenuousness, our fighting strength. A healthy stomach turns the food we eat into nourishment for the blood stream and the nerves. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery refreshes and tones up the stomach walls. Removes the poisonous gases from the system.

The first day you start to take this reliable medicine, impure germs and accumulations begin to separate in the blood and are then expelled through the Liver, Bowels and Kidneys.

In place of the impurities, the arteries and veins gradually get fresh vitalized blood and the action of this good blood on the skin means that pimples, boils, carbuncles, eczema, rash, acne and all skin blemishes will disappear. Then you must remember that when the blood is right, the liver, stomach, bowels and kidneys become healthy and vigorous and you will have no more trouble with indigestion, backache, headache and constipation.

Get Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery today at any medicine dealers; it is a powerful blood purifier, so penetrating that it even gets at the impure deposits in the joints and carries them out of the system.

It is not a secret remedy for its ingredients are printed on wrapper.

FREE. Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser is sent free on receipt of 21 one-cent stamps to pay expense of wrapping and mailing only.

MOTHER! IF CHILD'S TONGUE IS COATED

If Cross, Feverish, Constipated, Give "California Syrup of Figs."

A laxative today saves a sick child tomorrow. Children simply will not take the time from play to empty their bowels, which become clogged up with waste, liver gets sluggish; stomach sour.

Look at the tongue, mother! If coated, or your child is listless, cross, feverish, breath bad, restless, doesn't eat heartily, full of cold or sore throat, or any other children's ailments, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs" then don't worry, because it is perfectly harmless, and in a few hours all this constipation poison, sour bile and fermenting waste will gently move out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. A thorough "inside cleansing" is oftentimes all that is necessary. It should be the first treatment given in any sickness.

Beware of counterfeit fig syrup. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs" which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the bottle. Look carefully and see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company."—adv.

OUCH! MY BACK! RUB LUMBAGO PAIN AWAY

Rub Backache Away With Small Trial Bottle of Old "St. Jacob's Oil."

When your back is sore and lame or lumbago, sciatica or rheumatism has you stiffened up, don't suffer! Get a small trial bottle of old, honest "St. Jacob's Oil" at any drug store, pour a little in your hand and rub it right on your aching back, and by the time you count fifty, the soreness and lameness is gone.

Don't stay crippled! This soothing penetrating oil needs to be used only once. It takes the pain right out and ends the misery. It is magical, yet absolutely harmless and doesn't burn the skin.

Nothing else stops lumbago, sciatica, backache or rheumatism so promptly. It never disappoints!

INDIGESTION, GAS OR SICK, SOUR STOMACH

Time "Pape's Diapiesin!" In Five Minutes All Stomach Misery is Gone.

"Really does" put bad stomachs in order—really does "overcome indigestion, dyspepsia, gas, heartburn and sourness in five minutes"—that—just that—makes Pape's Diapiesin the largest selling stomach regulator in the world. If what you eat ferments into stubborn lumps, you belch gas and eructate sour undigested food and acid; head is dizzy and aches; breath foul; tongue coated; your insides filled with bile and indigestible waste, remember the moment "Pape's Diapiesin" comes in contact with the stomach all such distress vanishes. It's truly astonishing—almost marvelous, and the joy is its harmlessness.

A large fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapiesin will give you a hundred dollars' worth of satisfaction or your druggist hands you your money back!

It's worth its weight in gold to men and women who can't get their stomachs regular! It belongs in your home—should always be kept handy in case of a sick, sour, upset stomach during the day or at night. It's the quickest, surest and most harmless stomach doctor in the world.—Advertisement.

—Read the Journal, 10c a week.

FOOTBALL GAMES SCHEDULED TODAY

COACH STAGG'S MAROONS FACE STRONG PURDUE TEAM.

Minnesota Will Meet Iowa and the Hawkeyes Are Expected to Put Up a Hard Battle—Illinois Should Have Little Trouble With Northwestern.

Chicago, Oct. 23.—Tomorrow's midwestern football program with last year's scores:

At Iowa City: Minnesota, —, vs. Iowa, —.

At Sioux Falls: Notre Dame, 21, vs. South Dakota, 7.

At Chicago: Purdue, 0, vs. Chicago, 6.

At Evanston: Illinois, 37, vs. Northwestern, 0.

At Lincoln: Michigan Aggies, —, vs. Nebraska, —.

At Columbus: Wisconsin, 12, vs. Ohio State, 0.

At Ames: Missouri, 21, vs. Ames, 13.

At Lawrence: Kansas Aggies, 0, vs. Kansas, 26.

Whatever is new in football probably will be shown in tomorrow's games, for the time is past in which crafty coaches could conceal their fancy tactics. At least four games involving claims to championship honors are on the card in the center states and in them it is likely the leaders will use their strongest lineups and their deepest strategy.

Possibilities of the Rugby pass when adapted to modern American football, as shown in Yale's defeat of Notre Dame last Saturday may be further revealed when the latter eleven clashes tomorrow with South Dakota at Sioux Falls. Coach Tarper learned a lot from Hinkey's men concerning the flying oval and it is said has taught the South Bend squad new tricks. On past performances, the South Dakotans should furnish Notre Dame with something less of a battle than that they gave last year, but Harper's lineup will be lacking Eichenlaub, out with injuries and will be further handicapped with a shifted back field.

The meeting between the Michigan Aggies and Nebraska at Lincoln will be fraught with interest. Last year these teams went through the season undefeated and each laid claim, with strong basis to the "western championship."

Two games decisive in their nature will be played in the race for big nine honors. Chicago's hope for another clear title depends on its beating Purdue, probably the strongest opponent yet to face the Maroons, while in its contest with Iowa, Minnesota should give critics a chance to estimate its championship possibilities.

Undoubtedly Coach Stagg has prepared his men for the test of the season in the Purdue game. Whatever the midway wizard has invented in the way of modern football—even the Rugby pass—is likely to appear in the Maroon repertoire. So far Chicago has been lacking in handling the forward pass as was formerly done on the midway but with the return of Huntington it is hoped for a better display of it is hoped for.

Followers of the game who watched the Chicago-Iowa contest last Saturday believe Minnesota will have a hard struggle with the Hawkeyes. The Gophers have shown a scoring ability somewhat advanced compared to that of their rivals and may test the Iowa defense even stronger than Chicago, Illinois expects but little trouble with Northwestern and Zuppke may use his stars in only a brief part of the game. Neither the Illinois nor Wisconsin should be forced to unveil pinch tactics, the Badgers taking on Ohio.

Two games destined to show the status of Missouri Valley affairs are on the program. Kansas tackles an old rival in the Manhattan Aggies and Missouri meets Ames.

With defeats by Rollan and Oklahoma, in its record, Missouri, to win from the aggressive Ames eleven, must have improved rapidly. Mians Hughtit, the star quarter, Michigan begins its eastern campaign, playing the strong Syracuse eleven. Coming out of the gruelling Aggies contest and with the Harvard game only a week away, the Wolverines face a difficult problem in the contest with the York state Methodists.

Eastern Football.

New York, Oct. 23.—The approach of the crucial period in eastern football is indicated by the increasing importance of the week end games. Three of the so-called big five teams face opponents tomorrow with little better than an even chance of victory. With the championship contests less than a month away, these eleven will be forced to play with a certain caution and reserve. For that reason tie scores or even defeats are not unlikely when the calibre of the opposing combinations is considered.

Dartmouth plays Princeton in the new Palmer Memorial stadium and hopes to make this informal opening of the Tiger's modern football amphitheatre the occasion of another victory over the Orange and Black. Last fall the Hanover Indians defeated Princeton six to nothing but it seems certain that the Nassau team will offer a far stronger resistance to the charges of the green eleven than was the case in 1913. Dartmouth, is more or less of an unknown quantity.

Almost as much interest attaches to the Yale-Washington and Jefferson game to be played at New Haven. Virtually the same powerful teams which held the Eli's to a no-score tie game a year ago and lost to Harvard ten to nine, two weeks ago, will oppose the Blue tomorrow.

In view of the battle Washington and Jefferson put up against Harvard, the outcome of the game with Yale will be awaited with interest.

At Philadelphia the Carlisle Indians will meet the University of Pennsylvania and another close contest is predicted. Both teams started the present season in poor form and are just beginning to rise to the usual standard set by eleven of these institutions.

The one intersectional game of the day will be played at Syracuse where the local University team tackles the University of Michigan. The Salt City collegians have a powerful combination and in all the games played to date have run up double figure scores except against Princeton which won twelve to seven. Against Michigan the Syracuse team can be expected to play its hardest and fastest game for the Orange has not forgotten the 43 to 7 defeat administered by the West-erners at Ann Arbor last fall.

Harvard will face Pennsylvania State with several regulars missing from the team but expects to win by a safe score. The game between Brown and Cornell in this city is expected to develop some spectacular open play.

AN OPEN LETTER.

R. E. Pelham has written an open letter to W. E. Robinson, progressive candidate for State Senator in this district, which is in part as follows:

Jacksonville, Ill., Oct. 23, 1914.
Mr. W. E. Robinson,
Springfield, Ill.

Dear Sir:
Your postal card, soliciting my supporting your campaign for state senator was duly received. You also seemed very anxious to have me do what I could for John E. Wright.

While such communications, as a rule, are never answered, I feel that you and all other voters should receive a reply, when you appeal to my kind of Republicans to turn down men that are just as good, just as honest, and just as well qualified in every way. And more than that, they have never turned traitor, but have always stood for the Republican party and the principles that it advocates. Then why should we vote for you and Mr. Wright, when each of you are doing everything in your power to destroy the party that has a clean record, and owes no apologies, a party that has been in existence for over half a century, and will remain upon the field of action long after you and your party of mushroom growth have been dumped in the political junk pile.

I know that there are a few in this county, through personal friendship perhaps, that are trying to make themselves believe that there is a show for Mr. Wright to get elected, and I do not question that they think that they are Republicans, but I do question their judgment in supporting a man that does not remain in the party.

No, Mr. Robinson. The voters should bear in mind that Mr. Wright was a member of the legislature when he was a Republican, and held some prestige, but if he goes there now, Morgan county would not fare any better, if as well, as it has in the past, for he would have to go with the Democrats, for he would be under certain obligations to them. Under those conditions, I think that Morgan and Sangamon counties would be better off, without the service of either you or Mr. Wright, for I know that Smith, Lyon and Butler will make a pretty good tripartite team, and can be depended upon, and a vote for you or Mr. Wright would be a vote indirectly for a Democrat.

I will add, Mr. Robinson, that I was raised from childhood, until I was nearly forty years of age, in one of the hot beds of Democracy in Sangamon county, and too well do I remember what it was for myself and brothers to stand up for that grand old party of Lincoln, Grant and Logan, to turn in my tracks now and vote for any candidate that answers to the call of one of the most selfish, and also the most ungrateful being that it has ever been my privilege to see or read about, a man that would have been with the Republican party today, if he could have bossed the party at the Chicago convention; and you and Mr. Wright are doing everything in your power to help him to destroy the party that he could not control.

While this letter is rather lengthy I trust that it will give you as much pleasure to read it, as it has me to write it, I remain,
Very respectfully,
R. E. Pelham.

PRESIDENT AT PITTSBURGH

Pittsburgh, Pa., Oct. 23.—Although President Wilson has asserted that he will not talk politics in his address here tomorrow, on the occasion of the seventieth anniversary of the founding of the Y. M. C. A., political wisecracks are watching for some indication of the presidential stand on the senatorial and congressional fights in Pennsylvania and the country at large. A big reception will be planned by the local officials of the Y. M. C. A., in which the President will be the central figure.

NURSERY IS NEWEST CHURCH BOOSTER

St. Louis, Mo., Oct. 23.—No more will babies cry at the services of the McCausland Avenue Presbyterian Church, nor, on the other hand, will mothers feel obliged to stay away from church because they have no one with whom to leave their babies. For the new pastor's wife, Mrs. David Reiter, is to open a church nursery next Sunday. She will care personally for all the babies the mothers choose to bring. The idea has made a hit with the parishioners, for Mrs. Reiter has two children of her own and knows how to care for the kiddies.

BARBECUE WILL BE HELD IN CENTRAL PARK

Unusual Event is Planned for Next Saturday—Farmers Will be Guests.

Arrangements are now practically completed for the barbecue to be given in Central Park Saturday, Oct. 31. This unusual event has been planned by the Young Men's Booster Club of the Chamber of Commerce and co-operating are the rural affairs committee of that organization, the Anti-horse Thief association and the Morgan County Farmers Club, and the expectation is that there will be a big crowd of farmers in Jacksonville that day. Permission has been secured from the park commissioners to use Central park and there the fires will be built and the beef and pork roasted. There will be other good things to eat, and the merchants who are taking a large interest in the matter are buying tickets in large numbers at twenty cents apiece, and will distribute them to their farmer friends. Two cheers who have been active in the conduct of such affairs in the south at various times in the past have been engaged to look after the barbecue proper.

In the afternoon Dr. Hieronymus, community adviser from the University of Illinois, will be in Jacksonville and will make an address at the court house. Dr. Hieronymus has done some work for the farmers in various parts of the state pointing out to them the advantages of co-operative work, and undoubtedly he will have something to say well worth hearing. His address has been arranged for largely by the committee appointed at the chalet-aqua to take the preliminary steps for the organization of a farmers' club.

Members of the Farmers' Club committee are requested to meet at the court house this afternoon at 1:30 o'clock to confer further concerning the plans for next Saturday.

PRESBYTERIAN SYNOD COMMITTEE

At the sessions of the Illinois Synod, which has just adjourned, the following standing committees were appointed:

Spiritual Life—D. L. McNary, chairman; Joseph J. Rue, Ira W. Allen, Daniel Breeze, A. E. Brown, George D. Adamson, W. A. Bodell, D. M. Ogilvie, George L. Clark, Charles A. Sterling, E. L. Lord, John R. Vance.

Christian Education—W. S. P. Bryan, chairman; Wilson Aull, J. R. E. Craighead, Charles F. Wishart, Henry Hepburn, M. Humphreys, John H. Boone, W. G. Ogilvie, Elder M. J. Barton, Charles M. Brown, S. W. Findley, W. M. Maxon, John Tracey, James Benson, W. T. Rodgers.

Youth of church—Robert H. Beattie, chairman; C. U. McManus, C. E. Combrink, W. H. Fulton, D. E. Campbell, M. F. Vance, J. H. Miller, S. L. Roper, R. B. Fisher, A. M. Little, D. W. Morgan, A. B. Morey.

General church work—H. D. French, chairman; W. D. Shirey, Jas. R. Henry, Charles P. Record, Chas. S. Pier, A. O. Elliott, J. Hardie Smith, S. L. Hoke, R. Calvin Dobson, O. D. Hawver, J. M. Tidball, J. R. McIlhenny, Charles W. Estes.

Church extension—W. H. Penhaligon, chairman; Lewis C. Voss, secretary; E. S. Scott, Jr., treasurer; C. A. Highfield, A. M. Eells, S. H. Curtis, M. I. Pearson, C. E. Fish, C. S. Davies, E. P. Hill, Elder J. E. Willis, G. A. Plug, A. R. Mathes, J. M. Thompson.

Foreign missions—W. R. King, chairman; H. M. Thomas, J. R. F. Craighead, R. R. Marquis, Ira W. Allen, Joseph Benson, Charles A. Adams, John T. Stone, H. P. Armstrong, J. M. Tidball, Arnold S. Moody.

Brotherhood—R. F. Cressey, chairman; John Rugh, W. E. Meeker, Charles P. Record, S. H. Montgomery, Elder A. A. Mackey, S. B. Landis, A. O. Elliott, R. H. Hartley, M. R. Laird, Henry S. Brown, Elder D. F. Graham.

Members at large—W. V. McAdoo, Jr., W. McDonald, Elder Edward Given.

INSURANCE COMPANY TO DISSOLVE

Circuit Judge Creighton at Springfield has approved an order given last February for the distribution of the Illinois Live Stock Insurance company of Sangamon county, and to the appointment of L. R. Mueller as receiver. The court acted favorably on a stipulation filed when the receiver's bond was fixed at \$25,000. The original bond fixed last February was \$30,000.

The petition for dissolution was filed on the grounds that the company was not a paying proposition and added that there were no debts or outstanding liabilities. State Insurance Superintendent Potts, in an answer to the petition gave his approval of the company's condition so far as Sangamon county was concerned.

The company was incorporated on July 28, 1908, with a capital stock of \$100,000, which was divided into \$50 shares.

BARBER SUES THE GOVERNOR.

Butte, Mont., Oct. 23.—Six thousand dollars is wanted from Governor Samuel V. Stewart by a Butte barber who refused to cut the hair of a member of the national guard and was sent to jail. Edward F. Swaidner, who wields the shears and razor with more or less discrimination, was haled into court after refusing to trim the flowing locks of a soldier from the rural districts. He was given 60 days in jail, but was liberated within a few days. The barber claims his feelings are hurt. His profession has suffered an indignity and his business injured.

Thomas McGinnis and family were in the city in their Ford Friday from Mercedola.

DEAF PROVIDE HELP FOR NEEDY IN CHICAGO.

Coroner Hoffman is Putting Men on Juries Who Are Absolutely Painless.

Chicago, Ill., Oct. 23.—"The bread line in the morgue" is what Coroner Peter Hoffman calls the line-up of the destitute which he finds at his headquarters each morning. Coroner Hoffman has found an opportunity to extend a helping hand to the needy, and though the medium of his kindness is gruesome it is nevertheless welcomed by the down-and-outs.

Every morning sees a line of men with families in straitened circumstances, at the door of the morgue. They plead for a chance to earn a dollar by serving on coroner's juries that sit in the morgue. Coroner Hoffman relieves his plan does not deteriorate the character of the juries for his selections are made only from those he has investigated.

Coroner Hoffman's interest in the "unfortunates" who make up his "bread line" has brought him in contact with cases which, he says, are almost as tragic as any of those inscribed on his books concerning the dead.

"I am putting these unfortunate men on the juries," he says, "and I only wish I had more opportunities for these poor fellows who are honestly trying to support their families. They are intelligent men of all vocations who cannot find work."

PIONEER MOTHERS' DAY IN CALIFORNIA.

San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 23.—California women have the biggest day in their history tomorrow, when the monument to the pioneer mother will be shown for the first time, and Pioneer Mothers' Day will be observed throughout the state. Governor Johnson by proclamation named October 24th as Pioneer Mothers' Day, and in honor of the event, the Native Daughters of the Golden West conducted a state-wide campaign to raise funds for the memorial statue. The California women raised \$25,000 for the statue, which will later be presented to the city of San Francisco, with appropriate dedication.

The California women of the present generation are determined that those of the early period of the state's history shall be properly remembered and honored. Governor Johnson will be one of the speakers at the exercises in honor of the pioneer women.

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Princeton, N. Y., Oct. 23.—A new stadium, seating 41,000 people will be dedicated at Princeton University tomorrow, on the occasion of the annual football game between the Tigers and Dartmouth. The structure is 67 feet long, 520 wide and 66 feet high. The playing surface is 517 feet in length and 359 feet in width. There is a concourse twenty feet wide and a promenade around the top twelve feet wide. The Dartmouth team, coached by Frank Cavanaugh, will be the team that will dedicate the new stadium, just as "The Big Green" came down to Cambridge in 1903 to play Harvard in the first game inside the big stadium there.

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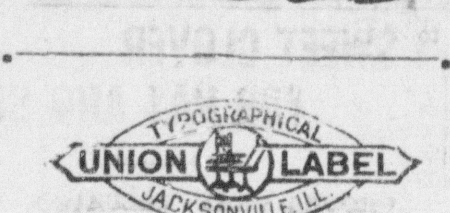
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FOR BEST SELECTION AND VARIABILITY

VARIABILITY IS NECESSARY BACK OF ALL SELECTION

Breeder Must Preserve Desirable Individual Differences and Destroy the Undesirable.

By Dr. J. A. Detlefsen, Assistant Professor of Genetics, University of Illinois.

All improvement in animals and plants has been attended by selection. By selection, we mean preserving desirable individual differences and variations, and destroying the undesirable. In order to select it is self evident that the breeder must have variations as the basis for selection in an absolutely pure strain is unthinkable and impossible. After all then, variability is a necessary back of all selection. With variability given, the work of the breeder consists in the skillful selection and propagation of the desirable varieties. Furthermore, when the breeder selects the desirable varieties from which to breed he does so with the hope or faith that certain chosen colors or forms or physiological functions will be transmitted, at least to some degree. Selection would have been discarded long ago if it were not for the fact that the breeder has learned that he could have no hope of perpetuating or augmenting desirable characters or qualities, and that the offspring of his selected best animals or plants were never better than the average of this race. In other words, when we select in sexually produced races, we act on the supposition that a character shown in the body will be transmitted by the germ cells. An intelligent understanding of the processes involved in selection therefore means a knowledge of the causes of variability and of the laws and mechanism of transmission of characters.

Variability in plants and animals is apparent everywhere and has many causes. One needs only to look carefully at a corn field or herd of pure bred cattle and one soon discovers differences which at first elude the untrained observer. To be sure, some corn fields and some herds and flocks are much more variable than others, but try as hard as we will we cannot find even the proverbial identity in the mass in a pod. Variability is universal and so is one of the great causes of variability, differences in environment. Slight differences in nutrition, soil, mechanical pressure, humidity, sunshine, good or poor start and like may cause difference in development. It has been fairly well established that such differences due to environment are of little or no value to the breeder. Inasmuch as their origin is due to environmental causes which have modified the bodily appearance of the plant or animal, but have not correspondingly changed the germ cells and hence are not transmitted by them. It is often difficult to know when a variation is purely environmental, and moreover environment may obscure variations due to other causes. This makes selection slow and difficult in cases where environmental effects are mixed and cannot be dissociated from real inherited variations. If one could eliminate the differences due to environment, then the variability which remained would be that due to inheritance.

A second cause of variability is the re-combination of characters, produced by crossing different types of individuals. The effect of crossing in plants and animals has long been known as a source of variation. The evidence adduced in recent years by Mendel's experiments and much subsequent work has shown why and when such re-combination of characters are to be expected. To illustrate, if one crosses polled Angus with Hereford, one induces variability, for among other characters one obtains re-combinations of red pigment with the polled condition, and black pigment with the horned condition in subsequent generations. In fact, one obtains many other re-combinations besides these. These variations (unlike those caused by environment) are due to differences in the germ cells, and are of value to the breeder. In studying the history of different breeds of animals, one is surprised to see how frequently different strains were crossed, variability was induced and selection of desirable re-combinations of characters was exercised. These re-combinations were then fixed, or made to breed true. In the parlance of the geneticist we say the breeder selects desirable re-combinations of characters and proceeds to get these in a homozygous condition. By this formidable phraseology we simply mean that if a white faced red pigmented, polled animal were our ideal, this type would be bred until those characters were so pure that all germ cells transmit them, they occur in the breed. Now there is no doubt that this sort of variability has often been used by the Shropshire breed, and in early generations after the cross they are extremely variable. These varieties were then selected until a more nearly fixed type was procured. I am told by reliable historians of the various breeds of livestock that the early history of many breeds consisted of crossing races, combining characters and subsequently selecting. What did they select? Obviously the desirable re-combinations from the range of possible re-combinations, in-

duced by the crossing. We see them in hybridization, one real cause of variability.

To induce variability by hybridization and to select from the varieties varies that are recombinations of characters is not the most difficult sort of selection. There are many illustrations of this in plant and animal history. In the words of Henri-de, There is another or third type of variability and it is a much more difficult thing to explain and deal with. Nevertheless, it is of paramount importance to the breeder. There is much difference of opinion with regard to this third type of variability. Biologists differ among themselves and so do plant and animal breeders. The more radical maintain that all variability is explained by the two causes mentioned above and there is no other kind. Their argument runs as follows: Variations are due to recombination of factors and influence of environment. Races of animals and plants can be selected until they are pure for their characters, or rather the factors in the germ plasma which cause the development of characters. But when the factors are pure, nothing more can be done for in-breeding does not introduce new factors and the pure factors do not vary or give new re-combinations. To illustrate, if an animal were pure for red and also all factors influencing the shade of red, then any variability shown would be due to environment; and not due to heredity, for factors in a pure race of reds cannot vary. Selection would be of no consequence for environmental variations are not transmitted. In other words, their argument is that an ultimate factor in the germ plasma does not vary. This position seems to be the practicable breeder and many investigators an untenable one. If one experiments with the simplest characters, it has been shown that selection can raise the potency of such, up or down, at will. To be sure, there are physiological limits. Sugar beet content has been raised enormously but one must come to a standstill some time, for a beet cannot be 100 per cent sugar. Now this third sort of variability may be called the inherent variability or the potency of a factor itself, and forms the basis for developing the degree of intensity of characters. There is more evidence accumulating that factors are themselves variable, than to the contrary. We may say then that improvement depends on selection, and selection depends on variability. Variability is due to

1. Environmental effects, which are not inherited.
2. Recombinations of characters incident upon crossing and from which the breeder selects the desirable combinations.
3. Changes in the potency of a factor in germ plasma itself, as evidenced by the selection of simple characters.

UTILIZING THE POOR IN THE COUNTY HOMES

Charities Commission Will Make Survey This Year—Plan of Paying Home Superintendents is Contemplated.

(From Institution Quarterly.)
The State Charities Commission has undertaken this year another survey of the county homes of Illinois. This work is being done under the direction of its inspector, Mrs. Alice Phillips Aldrich. The results of this inspection will be printed later in the year.

A few examples of some of the conditions she finds will be interesting at this time.
Mrs. Aldrich condemns the system in vogue in a number of counties of paying superintendents of the county home so much per week per inmate for housing them. In Clay county, for instance she says the board pays the superintendent or poor master \$2 per week for each inmate, this sum to pay for his feed, clothes, bedding, heat and light, "so you may imagine how they are kept."

"I find," she writes, "one woman in this home, about fifty-seven years old, doing nearly all the work, and when I was there she was in her bare feet ironing. When asked why she was in her bare feet, her eyes filled with tears, and she said that her shoes were too small and she could not wear them. The matron said that they had bought her one pair and they could not afford to buy her another. This poor woman was helpless and without friends and had been there in that home for about thirty years and had always worked hard and I saw her barefooted."

"In one of the poor farms, I visited in northern Illinois, I found an old woman about eighty-five years old, who had to do all the scrubbing of the white floors in the halls and bedrooms on the woman's floor. To me such a thing is very wrong and cruel. No woman eighty-five years old is able to do such work, and she kept the floors as white and beautiful as they could be. In many of the country homes the old men and these old women have to do all the work; these things are not told me by the inmates but by the superintendents and matrons themselves. In many places the work is very poorly done and therefore I could not consider that the inmates were properly cared for. In one home there were twenty-nine inmates, one foolish woman and one old woman were doing the cooking, all the kitchen work, dining-room work and dish washing for the twenty-nine."

"I would also like to call your attention to the case of a boy, a deaf mute, in the Clay County home, who was sent to the School for Deaf Mutes. This boy is growing up without learning anything when

EGG PRODUCTION DURING THE WINTER

PRODUCTION CAN BE INCREASED WITH PROPER CARE

Special Effort Should Be Made For an Increased Winter Egg Yield—Strain is More Important Than the Breed—Reason For Large Production During Spring Months.

By W. P. Miller, Agricultural Extension, University of Illinois.
Few farmers realize the importance of poultry when carried on in connection with other farm operations. According to the United States census in 1910 there were 280,345,000 chickens valued at \$340,265,600. It is estimated that

made it possible for the farmer to send his supply of fresh eggs direct to the city consumer, thus obtaining a better price for his produce and at the same time the consumer is buying at a lower price than he could get on the city market.

From an economical standpoint it behooves every farmer to make a special effort for an increased winter egg yield, but how this can be done is the question which every interested farmer will ask.

If your flock is sickly or lacks vigor, get rid of them entirely, but if they are healthy, vigorous and of some good breed, they can be graded up by buying some good males of the same breed but from some one who is known to have produced a strain of good winter layers. The strain is much more important than the breed.

Much might be said in regard to the housing of poultry but there are a few general principles which must be kept in mind if we expect

to get results. No matter what kind of a house we build, it should be located on land which is well drained, so that the building will be free from moisture at all times, otherwise the chickens will be subject to disease and parasites. The south side of the building should be open to give plenty of fresh air but the other three sides should be so tight that draughts will not be present. The third great principle is that of plenty of sunshine which should extend over as large an area of floor space as possible at some time during the day.

A dry litter of good straw should

the total value of the eggs produced would amount to over \$350,000,000 per year. Large as it is, this amount can be greatly increased if the farmer can be made to see the advantages of proper care, housing and feeding.

Most farmers are content to allow their flock of poultry to run at will and get their living in the best way they can, never giving them a thought to winter egg production and thus cutting off the greatest source of profit in poultry raising.

A large number of the eggs produced on the farm are laid during the months of March, April,



A busy time in the Poultry House.

May and June and we may well look for the reason. During this time the hens can obtain plenty of green foods, insects, bugs and worms. These furnish a large amount of the protein which is absolutely essential to egg production.

If the same conditions can artificially be supplied in the winter time there is no reason why hens cannot be made to lay eggs when the value is such that egg production will become worth while from an economical standpoint on every farm.

Shipping eggs by parcel post has

cover the floor of the house to a depth of several inches. This litter and the droppings should be moved before any dampness appears. Improper feeding of farm poultry as a rule has had more to do with the small number of winter eggs produced than all other causes combined and this is the part of the subject upon which we wish to put the most emphasis.

The average farmer not only allows his hens to run about the barn and pick up the waste grain but he scatters large amounts of corn to the hens night and morning. The corn is usually thrown on the bare ground and the hen without any exercise, stuffs her crop as full as possible, and since corn is a fattening ration, she becomes so fat that she cannot lay.

At one time I had the pleasure of seeing a flock of Barred Plymouth

SWEET CLOVER FOR HAY AND SEED

PROVES VERY VALUABLE AS A HAY CROP.

Yield of Sweet Clover Seed Usually Higher Than That of Any Other Clover—Great Crop For Soil Improvement.

By J. G. Mosier, Chief in Soil Physics, University of Illinois.

As a hay crop sweet clover will prove to be very valuable. Stock eat it when cured as well as when green. During favorable seasons a hay crop of a ton or more may be cut the first year. One man writes that his first year's growth made 2 1/2 tons of hay. A crop of hay may be cut during the second year and the second crop allowed to seed or the first crop may be allowed to seed. In cutting the hay crop during the first season's growth there is no danger of injuring by cutting too low but for cuttings made during the second year the mower should be run at least 1 inch high. New buds or sprouts do not start from the root crown as in the case of alfalfa after being cut once. The new growths start from the stubble and this must be left sufficiently high to give room for the new buds. The root crown normally furnishes but one series of buds and if cut too low the second crop will be a partial or total failure. There will be no objection to cutting a second crop of hay if sufficient growth takes place. This will damage the seed crop however.

Cut the first crop before it blooms and the second crop before it becomes too woody.

The yield of sweet clover seed is usually higher than that of any other clover being from 3 to 10 bushels per acre and may be obtained from the first, second or possibly a small yield from the third crop if the season is favorable. In handling the seed crop it can best be done by harvesting with a binder and shocking as in the case of oats. The time of cutting the seed is very important since if cut when too ripe much will be lost by shattering. Mr. Frank Coverdale, after 16 years of experience with sweet clover, says to cut it when three-fourths of the seed are black and the rest a yellow brown. It might be said the seed ripens very irregularly and some branches will be in bloom when others are ready to harvest. It should be hulled as soon as dry. The sweet clover huller does not handle sweet clover very satisfactorily. Mr. Coverdale uses a threshing machine with a clover hulling attachment. Probably the best way, until the hullers are adapted to handling this crop is to run the crop through an ordinary threshing machine obtaining the unhulled seed. If it is desirable to have the seed hulled this unhulled material may then be run through an ordinary huller. This will give the seed in good shape.

The Wyoming Experiment Station found that lambs fed on alfalfa made an average of 34.4 pounds in 14 weeks while on sweet clover for the same time was 30.7 pounds.

2. Sweet Clover as a Soil Renovating Crop.

As a crop for soil improvement sweet clover promises to become of a great value especially in our systems of grain and mixed farming and possibly in the livestock system. It has these advantages over alfalfa that it works well into systems of rotation and it is easier to obtain a stand. With the exception of alfalfa it is the deepest rooting crop grown, the tap roots penetrating to a depth of 3 or 4 feet. This makes it especially valuable as a sub-soiler. The root development takes place largely during the first season. The growth of top during the first year is not usually very large probably not much larger than the total root development during the same time.

The growth of top during the second year is one feature that makes it such an excellent crop for soil improvement. One of the most important problems in soil management is maintaining the supply of nitrogenous organic matter to provide nitrogen for the crop and humus for keeping the soil in good tilth. Sweet clover provides an abundance of both.

Rock hens which were healthy and as fine a lot as you would expect to see. Yet the owner told me they had produced hardly an egg during the winter. I lifted one and the reason they did not lay was evident. He had fed nothing but corn the entire winter and the hens were not even made to exercise to get this.

If the hens are allowed to run in the barn and follow the stock no extra ration should be fed. Wheat and oats may be fed once a day but it should be scattered in a deep, dry litter so that the hens will have to scratch for it. These grains are not so fattening as corn and the exercise will tend to decrease the gain in fat. They also contain more protein which can be used for egg development. Wheat comes as near as any one grain to being a balanced ration for the laying hen, but this alone is not sufficient.

Meat scraps, skim milk or butter milk should be fed as often as convenient. It has been proven by the results from several experiment stations that protein of an animal origin is better for egg production than the protein from plants.

PARTICIPATION THE RULE IN SCHOOL ORGANIZATION

Tendency Has Been Toward Encouragement of Local Initiative and Participation in Control of the Schools.

By H. A. Hollister, High School Visitor, University of Illinois.

Article III.
Like Germany, our educational interests are left to individual states to administer rather than to the nation at large. Unlike Germany, however, our tendency has been toward the encouragement of local initiative and popular participation in control. This is in strict accord with the spirit and method of our government, both state and national, in all its branches. There have been varieties at times and in certain departments of government or certain sections of the country. But reactions in such cases are common. We have a striking evidence of this in the popular demand for "referendum and recall." Our courts, by reason of the manner of their establishment, have gradually drawn away from the original source of their authority—the people. So completely have they hedged themselves and their acts about with precedents that their procedures amount practically to the determination of the laws of the land. Their holdings and decisions either predetermine legislation or else mould or veto it afterward. As a logical result of such a condition the people who created these courts are now demanding their reformation.

In setting up units of control in education states have generally recognized this fundamental principle of our peculiar form of democracy. There have been exceptional cases readily traceable to some local condition or influence. Ambitious departments of government have sought in various ways to centralize this control. But thus far, in the main, the people have insisted upon a hearing and the right to participate in the establishment and conduct of the schools. Whenever movement has been away from the people toward the same formalism and aloofness from popular sentiment which the courts have manifested.

Results of Lack of Such Participation.

One of the most striking illustrations of such an atrophied condition of public interest in education as would naturally result from lack of participation is to be found in the southern states. In recent years there has come a tremendous awakening among educators, statesmen, and men of the more recently developed industrial interests of the south with regard to the need of more and better schools. But the people have become accustomed to look to the state, as a sort of generous parent, to supply the funds necessary to support their meagre educational requirements. Now that their interest and support are demanded in a local way to make possible the needed increase in facilities for the education of their children, they present to the appeals of reformer an indifference and lethargy that are baffling and almost hopeless.

A similar situation has been imminent with regard to our higher institutions of learning. Even state institutions dependent upon popular support have been involved in some instances. There has grown up in these institutions, all unperceivedly, a certain aristocratic attitude of aloofness from general popular needs and interests. Just in proportion as these institutions have reformed from such an attitude, have become thoroughly humanized, as it were, and have taken up, with all sincerity, those great problems of the people which higher learning alone can render soluble, to that extent have the people responded, and will continue to respond, in providing adequately and generously for their support.

N. B. Extract from "The Administration of Education in a Democracy," by Horace A. Hollister, courtesy of Charles Scribner's Sons, publishers.

AGRICULTURAL NOTES.

Question.—A. A., Louisville, Ill., inquires if cotton seed hulls would be any good to feed to milch cows. The hulls can be purchased at \$11.60 per ton in carload lots.
Answer.—Your inquiry in regard to the value of cotton seed hulls as a feed for milk production is received. Feed trials that have been made seem to indicate that cotton seed hulls are nearly equal to sorghum hay for milk production. They are about equal to oats straw and somewhat inferior to corn stover. From this you will note that cotton seed hulls are not one of our best dairy feeds. I would suggest that consideration be given to the use of bran, which is a somewhat more expensive feed but which will give much better results when fed in a grain mixture such as one of corn, oats and bran.

You do not state the kinds of roughages that would be available. As to whether alfalfa or timothy hay was fed should be considered in making up the grain ration. R. S. Hulce, Dairy Husbandry, University of Illinois.

REG. SALE OF MAZDAS.
The Jacksonville Railway and Light Co., sold over 1,800 Mazda lamps Edison Day, it is reported. Seven hundred were sold before nine o'clock. The public evidently appreciates the worth of the Mazda.

CATTLE FEEDING IN THE CORN BELT

CORN FED CATTLE FEATURE OF INDUSTRY IN THIS COUNTRY

Decrease in Proportion of Breeders to Feeders of Beef Cattle Has Moved Gradually From Eastern to Western Border of the Corn Belt.

By Herbert W. Mumford and Louis D. Hall, Animal Husbandry, University of Illinois.

About one-third of the cattle of the country other than milch cows are contained in the states mentioned, and their value is equal to about two-fifths of the total value of such cattle in the United States. Furthermore, large numbers of cattle are shipped into these states to be fattened and forwarded to market, and are not included in the estimates of annual cattle population. Corn-fed cattle are the distinctive feature of the cattle industry of the United States, and it is therefore proper to consider somewhat fully the trend of general conditions surrounding the industry in that section and the fundamental economic factors that affect it.

Rapid Evolution of the Cattle Feeding Industry.

During the period of settlement and the earlier years of cultivation of corn-belt lands—a period extending from the fifties to the nineties inclusive, of the last century—these lands generally were stocked with cows of beef type; and while the country was being brought into cultivation, they became a combined breeding, grazing, and fattening ground for cattle. Such localities were admirably suited to beef production because of the abundance of cheap corn they afforded.

As the remarkable corn-growing possibilities of the soil and climate in the corn belt became more and more evident and the demand for corn grew greater, the westward movement of agriculture naturally stimulated the growing corn and, to a corresponding degree, diminished the area of grazing land. Gradually but surely, the plow drove out the cow until in the heart of the corn country but few females of the beef type remained. For thirty years or more in some such sections, it has been a proverb that "it does not pay to keep a cow a year for the chance of a calf."

At the same time that conditions within the corn belt were tending to reduce the rearing of beef cattle there, the industry was extending on the great breeding ground of the Southwest and the grazing lands of the West. Thus an increasing supply of cheap stockers and feeders from the range was a further large factor in causing the abandonment of cattle raising by many farmers who reasoned—and logically so—that calves could be produced more cheaply more economically on the cheap grass lands of the West than on corn-belt farms. Moreover the attractive opportunities which the range country offered the cattlemen induced many livestock farmers of the Mississippi valley to migrate west, thus diminishing still further the proportion of cattle feeders to grain growers in the central states.

The extent to which this change in conditions has affected beef production is indicated somewhat accurately by the results of inquiries that have been made on an extensive scale among cattle feeders of Illinois and Indiana. In 1902 this experiment station secured reports of methods used by 593 cattle feeders in Illinois, and found that only 1 per cent raised their entire supply of feeding cattle. It was estimated that only about 15 per cent of the native steers marketed in Chicago from Illinois were carried from birth to maturity without changing hands.

The Indiana Experiment Station in 1906 investigated the methods of 229 cattle feeders in Indiana, and reported that "only 6 per cent are really beef producers, that is 'breeding their own cattle and feeding them out.'" About one-half of the total number raised a part of their feeding cattle, and 42 per cent made a practice of purchasing all their feeders.

It is significant that a considerably smaller proportion of breeders was found in Indiana than in Illinois. Although the data are not strictly comparable, owing to possible differences in the class of cattle feeders represented and an interval of four years between the two investigations, it is undoubtedly true that the decrease in the proportion of breeders to feeders of beef cattle has moved gradually from the eastern border of the corn belt.

Extract from a recent Circular in "Cattle Feeding Conditions in the Corn Belt."

It's the man beside the microscope who has built up the civilization that the man behind the gun is now shooting off the earth.

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SHURTLEFF IS VANQUISHED 66-0

ALTON COLLEGE MEETS A DECISIVE DEFEAT.

Illinois Proves Victor in One-sided Contest on Local Field.—Freshmen-Sophomore Game Thrilling Curtain Raiser.—Parade Proves Game.

Shurtleff College football team of Alton met a decisive defeat Friday afternoon at the hands of Illinois college, by a score of 66 to 0. Illinois succeeded in scoring four minutes after referee Keithley had blown his whistle, and they kept up the scoring at will until the game closed. Coach Harmon using a number of second string men during the four quarters. A good crowd witnessed the contest, which was preceded by a curtain raiser between the teams of the freshmen and sophomore classes, neither side being able to score. Early in the afternoon, the students formed a parade and marched down town. Several automobiles were pressed into service and decorated in the college and class colors and the football men were seated on a large mat placed on a low truck, drawn by one of the cars. The rear was brought up by a small boy in a cart bearing a Shurtleff college pennant. "Get Shurtleff's goat" was a slogan of the college students and before the game was half over it was seen that the varsity men had it.

Shurtleff found Illinois' line impregnable and the only gains they could make were by forward passes and these failed to net much ground during the latter part of the contest. At no time was Illinois' goal greatly threatened. Shurtleff displayed a great weakness in defense, Illinois breaking through their line almost at will. Their tackling at times was amateurish and a lack of team work was displayed all through the contest.

The only real star player of the visitors was Full Back Henry, the fellow who played so well last year on the Alton high school team. Drake, the big husky left tackle of the Shurtleff team, was put out of the game in the beginning of the second quarter for slugging quarter back Stewart. It was not till the last quarter that Stewart was able to get in the game again. As the game proceeded and Coach Harmon saw that it was clinched, he substituted a number of the second team men. Although the score was one-sided, the Shurtleff men never gave up and kept the Illinois men on the hump, so that the crowd was kept interested.

In the first quarter Shurtleff kicked off to Illinois and by a succession of end runs and line bucks followed by a forward pass to Stewart, Mitchell went over after four minutes of play for the first touch down. Seven more points were made in this quarter ending the scoring by receiving a pretty forward pass going over for a touch down.

Only one touch down was scored in the second quarter. It was during the third quarter especially that jary, who took Stewart's place at quarterback, distinguished himself by several good plays, thanks to the splendid interference of his team mates. At two different times he got away with the ball running 48 yards in one play and 55 yards at another time. A total of five touch downs were recorded in the third quarter. In the fourth quarter Stewart re-entered the game and made the two touch downs for the squad. Wilson and Alford made some good gains and every man played well, including the substitutes, Jones making several substantial gains. Frisbie's toe was true, kicking every goal he attempted.

The following was the line-up:
Illinois—Position—Shurtleff
Karrh, r. e. Morris
Frisbie, r. e. Schruvewer
Allen, r. e. Green
Atchison, c. Randall
Butcher, l. g. Stein
Mitchell, l. t. Drake
Pierce, l. e. Terry
Stewart, q. b. Miller
Wilson, r. h. b. Crowe
Whistler, l. h. b. Moore
Alford, c. b. Captain
Henry

Summary.
Touchdowns—Mitchell 1; Stewart 3; Alford 1; Wilson 2; Gary 3. Officials—Keithley (Lake Forest) Umpire, Morse (Ames), Head linesman Larson. Substitutes—Shurtleff, Burnell, Dodge, Bumpus. Illinois—Helm, Jones, McLaughlin, Theobald, Berryman, Russell, Mangner.

Second Team Lineup.
Sophomore—Position—Freshmen
De Less, r. e. Pierce
Edel, r. t. Williamson
Bale, r. g. Abell
Davis, c. Blum
Akers, l. g. Ford
Mendonsa, l. t. Paschall
Apple, l. e. Perbix
Crain, q. b. Hodges
Alexander, r. h. b. Chamberlain
Reagle, l. h. b. Campbell
Urbaine, f. b. Rendleman
Officials—Referee, Earl Harmon; Umpire, Darragh.

Notes of the Game.
The last game at home before William and Vashit comes Thanksgiving day.

Shurtleff was an easier proposition than was expected.

The management got out some programs which explained the points of the game. The Illinois men were all numbered and these numbers corresponded with numbers on the program. The plays were told through a megaphone by Darragh. It was a new innovation and well received.

Illinois has not been scored

against this year. They now have a credit of 180 points made in three games.

The day was more suitable for baseball than football.

Lets reason a little. Millikin defeated Shurtleff 17 to 0. Normal university played a 0-0 game with Millikin. Illinois defeated Shurtleff 67 to 0. Would Normal have defeated Illinois and will Millikin defeat Illinois?

WOMEN'S PLUSH AND ARABIAN LAMB CLOTH COATS, WORTH \$20—SPECIAL THIS WEEK \$10. THE EMPORIUM.

ROBINS BOOSTED BY LA FOLLETTE

Declares Election of Moose Candidate Will be Triumph for Progressive Republicans and Democrats.

Senator La Follette's ante-election roll call of the candidates in various states he thinks should be elected in chides C. H. Tavenner, the Illinois candidate for congressman on the Democratic ticket, and C. M. Thomson, the Progressive candidate. Roger Sullivan, however, is given special attention in an autographed editorial in La Follette's magazine, under next Saturday's date, and after praising Owen of Oklahoma for discarding Sullivan for the progressive Robins, LaFollette has this to say of conditions in Illinois:

"Rising above the subservience of party regularly, the senator has repudiated Sullivan and has given his support actively to Raymond Robins, the Progressive nominee for United States senate."

"Senator Owen, Progressive Democratic leader, says Sullivan was not a fit man to nominate for United States senator in September, and is not a fit man to elect United States senator in November."

"The state that elected Lorimer senator may elect Sullivan, but it would inspire every progressive Republican and every progressive Democrat with hope to fight on if it should elect Raymond Robins to the United States senate."

(Paid for by Robins Nonpartisan Club.)

Special Peaberry coffee, 25c lb. Try it. Claus Tea Co.

HAS FINE CAR.
J. F. Claus, distributor for the McFarlan Six car, is driving one finished in Emerald green and will use it for demonstration purposes.

However the color of the body is optional with the purchaser. Mr. Claus is distributor for eleven counties and is naturally expecting a large business during the coming year as the McFarlan six is a car of such high standard and acknowledged worth. Every McFarlan six driven in Morgan county, and there are many of them, is a booster for the car and the same fact is true of the other counties of the territory. Today Mr. Claus will have the car in front of the Claus store and subsequently will house it at the Estacade garage.

Read Widmayer's adv. on page 7. Special prices on nuttun.

Unseasonable weather you say. But the cold days are surely coming. Better see our warm overcoats, values were never better. Knoles.

GO TO ALTON TODAY.
Coach Buland and the high school foot ball players will leave this morning for Alton where they will meet the high school team this afternoon. The local players are in fine form and a very close contest is expected.

T. P. A. rally today, meet at Pacific hotel, 9 a. m.

HALLOWEEN IS NEAR.
Only eight more days. Buy your Halloween decorations, masks and novelties at Wilmer's, 59 Southeast Corner Square. Largest assortment in the city.

Nobby styles in hats for young men and boys at Knoles.

FULL SESSIONS RESUMED.
It has been found possible to provide heat for the high school and eighth grade buildings all day and the regular school sessions were resumed Friday.

Don't forget T. P. A. rally and meeting today.

FUNERAL NOTICE.
The funeral of Mrs. Silas Kennedy will be held this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the residence northeast of the city in charge of Rev. W. E. Spoons. Interment will be made in Jacksonville cemetery.

COLLEGE COATS WORTH \$12 AND \$15.00 THIS WEEK, ONLY \$6.98. THE EMPORIUM.

SEWING MACHINE DEMONSTRATION.
A demonstration of the great Free sewing machine will be held today at the Andre & Andre store. Be sure to see it.

Andreas Dippel announces the first performance of "The Lilac Domino" in New York on October 28.

Fresh roasted Jumbo Peanuts 15c lb. Claus Tea Co.

Puritancian Boston, which once forbade amusements, now plans a municipal theatre.

All T. P. A. members meet at Pacific hotel, 9 a. m., today.

"Evidence" is one of Winthrop Ames' new plays now nearing production.

New Shirt Waists

New Hosiery

This Store Is Brimful of Everything You Will Need for Fall and Winter—Let Us Serve You.

The cooler days will be responsible for the greatly increased demand for warmer apparel and other fall and winter dry goods. This week that demand will increase and our stocks are all supplied with splendid assortments for selections.

Captivating Styles in Suits

There's a peculiar charm of line and proportion in these Fall Suits we are showing. The designers seem to have fashioned them in a moment of inspiration and they bear that look of taste that makes a garment stand out even in a crowd. Come to our ready-to-wear department, try on one of these suits. You'll be pleased.

The Prinzess Coats

The range of Prinzess styles is so complete that whatever your ideas are concerning the coat you intend to wear this winter, you will find one here that meets with your wishes so well you'll feel we had an advance knowledge of your needs. Simple tailored models and other coats embodying new fashion tendencies are represented. Comb in and see these coats. The values are especially inviting.

Colder Days Not Far Away—News of Needed Things Below

\$1.49—Silk Crepes—\$1.49.

Silk crepes 40 inches wide, neat printed effects, rich dark shades.

\$1.49—Crepe de Chines—\$1.49.

Fine quality crepe de chins, 36 to 40 inches wide. Beautiful rich quality.

\$1.00—Silk Messalines—\$1.00

Special nice quality in 36 inch silk messaline, all shades.

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Outing flannels with extra heavy fleecing, shown in stripes, mixtures, and plain colors.

50c—Flannelette Night Shirts—50c

New Flannelette Night Shirts with attached collars. All sizes.

50c—Union Suits—50c.

Women's fine ribbed Union Suits, fleece lined, high neck and long sleeves—all ankle length.

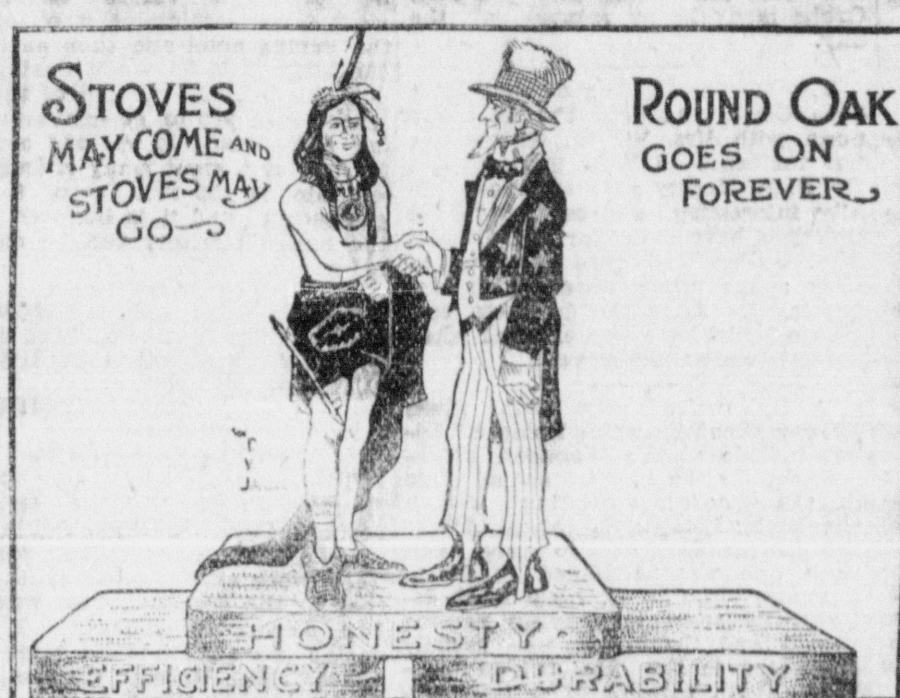
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SUNDAY SCHOOL WORKERS

HELD CONFERENCE FRIDAY

Helpful Program Carried Out at Central Christian Church—Related Especially to Home Departments.

A conference of Home Department superintendents and visitors of the various Bible schools of Jacksonville was held at Central Christian church Friday afternoon. Miss Mary Dewees, home department superintendent of Central Christian church, presided, assisted by Miss Pearl Jewsbury, who is assistant superintendent. The program was as follows:

Hymn. Devotional Scripture reading, by Mrs. T. S. Martin.

Prayer, by Mrs. E. O. Mayer. Topics—Five minute talks by home department superintendents.

1. The Purpose of the Home Department—Miss Doris Abers of the Brooklyn Bible school.

2. The People that are Reached by the Home Department—Mrs. F. M. Springer of the Baptist Bible school.

3. The Benefits of the Home Department—Miss Nellie Cunningham of the State Street Presbyterian Bible school.

Piano solo—Miss Beatrice Dyer.

4. My Greatest Problem in Home Department Work—Miss Anna McCormick of Westminster Bible school.

5. Our Motto—Mrs. Charles Hopper of the Grace M. E. Bible school.

E. Features Essential to Success in Home Department Work—Mrs. W. H. Naylor of Centenary Bible school.

Vocal solo—Mrs. Thomas Harber. General Discussion of the Work. Prayer by Miss Nellie Cunningham.

Social hour. Light refreshments. The program committee included Mrs. T. S. Martin, Miss Josie Pyatt. The refreshment committee included Miss Florence Rice, Mrs. D. L. McCarty, Mrs. R. S. Haneline and the assistants were Miss Mary Knollenberg and Miss Lizzie Brewer.

CREPE DE CHINE BASQUE DRESSES WORTH \$15 AND \$18—SPECIAL THIS WEEK \$8.98. THE EMPORIUM.

COLORADO ROADS UNDER FIRE. Denver, Colo., Oct. 23.—The railroads of Colorado were today notified to send representatives to a public hearing next Monday before the Public Utility Commission at which time an investigation will begin of passenger charges. Petitions and complaints filed with the commission state that an excess fare is collected from passengers who pay on the trains over the price of tickets bought in advance. The railroads will be given an opportunity to explain the extra charges.

SOCIAL EVENTS.

Mr. and Mrs. William T. Craig entertained the members of the Assured Aid society and a few of their neighbors and relatives at their beautiful country home southeast of Jacksonville, Thursday, the occasion being their twenty-fourth wedding anniversary. The home was very prettily decorated with garden flowers and autumn foliage. At noon an elegant two-course dinner was served which was greatly enjoyed. The time for departure came too soon, all wishing Mr. and Mrs. Craig many happy returns of the day.

The regular meeting of the South Side Circle was held Friday afternoon with Mrs. W. W. Gillham at her residence on West State street. Dr. J. R. Harker gave an exceptionally interesting address on "What Colleges have done for girls," and Mrs. Sullivan Hall gave a group of four songs which were highly appreciated. After the business session a social hour was enjoyed when refreshments were served.

A Halloween party was given Friday evening at the home of Edward Cade of the Woodson neighborhood by the Sunday school class of the Woodson Christian church taught by Mrs. R. R. Jones. There are 23 members of the class and each one was privileged to invite a guest. The hours were most delightfully spent in playing various games and the house was prettily decorated in the Halloween emblem. All partook of a fine oyster supper. The class is an enthusiastic one and the members intend to add to their number.

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T. P. A. WILL HAVE

SPECIAL BOOSTER DAY

Campaign Will Be Made Today for New Members.

This has been designated as Booster Day by Post O of the Travelers Protective Association, and the officers have made special plans for a campaign for new members. Saturday was designated because most of the traveling men are at home on that day and are ready to devote some time to the interests of the organization, which they consider to be of great value and protection to them. Various teams will meet this morning at 9 o'clock at the Pacific hotel and then an active campaign will be made during the day, the business portion of the city where men are to be canvassed being apportioned to various committees. Not a great many citizens are eligible to the benefits of the organization and it is believed that the entire territory can be covered today.

\$20.00 AND \$22.50 WOMEN'S FALL SUITS ON SALE THIS WEEK ONLY, AT \$12.50 AND ALL \$25.00 SUITS AT \$15.00.

THE EMPORIUM.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

The remains of Harry Benson Norman, who died at Colorado Springs, Colo., Tuesday of this week arrived in this city Friday morning. They were accompanied by the mother of the deceased, who was with him during his illness. The remains were taken to the home of his sister, Mrs. Robert Clayton, 311 North Prairie street.

Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon in Centenary church and will be conducted by the pastor, Rev. G. W. Flagge. Interment will be in Diamond Grove cemetery.

All T. P. A. members meet at Pacific hotel, 9 a. m., today.

NEW SUITS FILED.

Two more cases have been added to the docket of the circuit court for hearing at the November term. In both J. E. Thompson as administrator of the estate of John Atkinson, deceased, is the complainant and the defendants are William and George Atkinson. They are suits in assumpsit, and one is for \$1600 and the other for \$3400. Only the praecipe has been filed in each case.

See the newest style collars shown by FRANK BYRNES' Hat Store.

A RUMMAGE SALE

The Ladies' Aid society of Centenary church will hold a rummage sale today in the room on West State street until recently known as Pyatts Cigar store.

AUTOPSY HELD TO DETERMINE CAUSE OF MRS. KENNEDY'S DEATH

Indications of Typhoid Said to Have Been Revealed—Coroner Ordered Investigation After Suggestion that Death Might Have Resulted Following Improper Treatment.

The coroners jury which is investigating the death of Mrs. J. M. Kennedy did not complete the case Friday and adjourned until today when the report of the autopsy will be made. It seems that Mrs. Kennedy who had been ill at Passavant hospital for some time was removed from there Wednesday to Dr. Kenniebrew's sanitarium where her death occurred Thursday morning.

During Mrs. Kennedy's illness at Passavant hospital Dr. A. J. Ogram was her physician and she was removed to Dr. Kenniebrew's sanitarium by order of some of her relatives who stated to Dr. Ogram that they desired to change physicians. Dr. Ogram had diagnosed Mrs. Kennedy's sickness as typhoid fever and it is stated that he advised against moving the patient from the hospital as he considered the disease to be at a critical stage.

Dr. Ogram on Stand.

The motive of relatives who demanded the inquest seemed to be to prove a charge that Mrs. Kennedy was not suffering from typhoid but that her health had been broken down by a criminal operation performed by Dr. Ogram last winter. The witnesses who gave evidence somewhat to this effect were J. M. Kennedy, Frank E. Day, Mrs. Millie Jacinto and Mrs. Refina Day. Mrs. Clara DeFreitas was also a witness and Dr. Ogram took the stand in his own defense. He was advised by the coroner that it was not necessary to testify but declared he was perfectly willing to take the stand and said there were no facts that he did not wish to be made public. He said that he had attended Mrs. Kennedy last winter and that her illness was the result of a miscarriage. He said that later however her recovery seemed complete. Further he told of a visit made to his office by Mrs. Kennedy accompanied by one of her children, Oct. 3rd and that Oct. 10th he was called to the Kennedy home to see her and found that she had typhoid fever and advised her removal to Passavant hospital.

In the course of other testimony the charge was made that after Mrs. Kennedy was removed to the Kenniebrew Sanitarium that an examination was made and that she was not in physical condition to stand the same. Dr. Kenniebrew was not in the city and it was determined to have a post mortem examination.

Autopsy Conducted.

This was conducted in the afternoon in the presence of Dr. A. M. King, Dr. J. A. Ogram, Dr. R. H. Beverly, Dr. J. U. Day and Richard Reynolds. No official report has been made, but it is understood that the post mortem revealed unmistakable evidences of typhoid fever.

The jury which is investigating the case was empaneled by Coroner Wright as follows: E. N. Kitter, foreman; V. Bolin, S. W. Kermickie, Joseph Bowman, John Tuite and E. A. Brennan, clerk. The hearing which is being held at the court house will be resumed this morning.

The affidavit which resulted in the inquiry was filed with Coroner Wright as follows:

"We, the undersigned, hereby state that a dead body lies at Jacksonville, at Williamson & Cody's, undertakers, in the county of Morgan and state of Illinois, and for the safety of the community an inquest should be held. The cause of the death can be proven by Mrs. Millie Jacinto, Frank E. Day and Mrs. Refina Day, as we verily believe.

"John Jacinto. "Frank E. Day. "Dated this 22nd day of October, A. D. 1914."

STATEMENT FROM DR. KENNIEBREW

"Editor Journal: "I wish to ask you to please state in the morning issue that Mrs. Kennedy, who died at my Sanitarium, was brought there from Passavant hospital about 9 o'clock Wednesday morning and died about 1:30 a. m., Thursday, after two weeks illness. As she was unconscious when she was brought in and never regained consciousness, it was impossible to thoroughly examine her or to reach a satisfactory diagnosis. Had I been permitted to have even seen her first, I would never have allowed her removal to my sanitarium in a dying state.

"The impression or idea from the pointed notice personally given leaves very unsatisfactory conclusions, hence this request. "Very truly, "A. H. Kenniebrew."

\$18.50 SUITS ONLY \$12.50 AT HERMAN'S.

HOLD JOINT SOCIAL.

A joint social of the Forum and Adelpian literary societies of the high school was held Friday evening in the new high school gymnasium and was attended by three hundred students. Edwin Smith, president of the Forum, presided and the program consisted of two numbers by the high school orchestra, a piano solo by Miss Lucille Henley and a vocal solo by Miss Aileen Smith. After the program games were enjoyed and Floyd E. Williamson, president of the Adelpian society, acted as master of ceremonies. Much credit for the success of the social is due the efforts of Miss Cafky and Miss Kuechler, the literary managers, and the social committees, Esther Davis, chairman; Zelda Benson and Benlah McMurphy of the Forum and Carrie Mackness, chairman; Byron Carpenter and Ruby Cully of the Adelpian.

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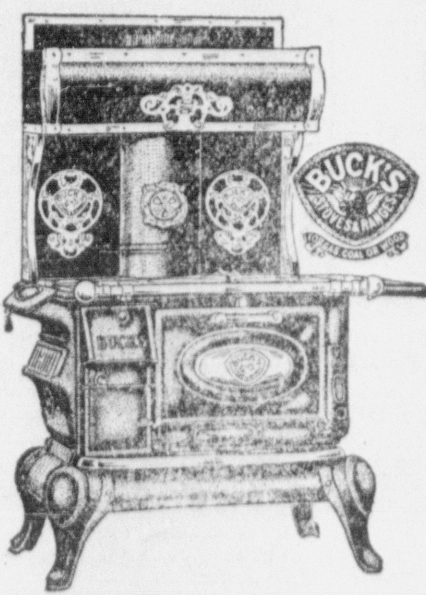
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